Madison High School
Rexburg, Idaho

Home of the Bobcats

CLASS 0F 1953

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Gone from our presence

But not Forgotten

Special Thanks from the "50th Year" Reunion Committee

We wish to express a heartfelt thanks for the people and many hours that helped organize and contribute to our special 50th Year Class Reunion.
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All committee members each had a prime responsibility and helped in all areas.

The booklet format consists of the information sent in its original content. The exception to this is if information was hand written, it was then put into a typed format. There were very few exceptions of editing to fit space requirements.
So many of you were far too modest but the class will appreciate hearing about your last 50 years.
As I put the final format together I had the opportunity to read each one. We have had interesting lives and made real contributions to society and to the great plan that we were placed here for.
I have the master copies of each page if additional copies are requested. Individual pages can be E-mailed.
Contact a committee member if we can help out in any way.

Sincerely
Your Classmate:

DaVon Lauder

A BRIEF HISTORY OF MADISON HIGH SCHOOL

Prior to 1923 Madison High School did not formally exist. Plans began in 1919 to pass a school bond for a building, which would cost $150,000 to local tax payers. The solid brick building had sixteen classrooms, a gymnasium, study hall, library and an assembly hall complete with a stage. It took nearly thirty months to complete.

The first year of operation there were 100 first year students enrolled, increasing to 106 the following year. Those students who desired to graduate from high school could choose between Rick's Academy and the high school in Sugar City to complete the last two years for their diplomas. By 1930 Madison was a full-fledged four-year program and that was the year Madison won the state basketball championship
Rexburg had become the center of Upper Snake River Valley education, for students throughout the county attended classes at the new high school and higher educational needs were offered at Rick's College. School spirit was promoted by organizations such as the Pepper Club, founded in 1931 followed by the Kappa Kegga Knales Klub, or KKK Club in 1932. Other clubs such as the Thespian, Agriculture and Home Economics clubs involved many students with diverse interests. Madison's Marching Band was a source of pride for all and it received standing ovations at their performances. Who can count the numbers of young grade school children whos latent musical talents were kindled as they witnessed the marching band perform in the annual 4th of July parade.

Madison High School was the tenth largest school in the state of Idaho in 1940, with 22 teachers and a full curriculum. The Madison school district was comprised of all the outlying community schools with the exception of Sugar-Salem, which remained separate. The year before our class entered its halls there were nearly four hundred and fifty students enrolled.

A highly developed sports program began in 1950 and Madison was second to none in the state as its students competed and won recognition and awards in Athletics, Declamation and Speech, and Music competitions.

Beginning in 1960 and continuing into the 1970's attempts were made to consolidate Madison and Sugar-Salem, but to no avail. By 1972 a bond initiative produced funds for a new school, completed the following year. When the Teton Dam collapsed 5 June 1976 the high school received significant damage, compounded later in the summer by an accident involving a huge water tanker which lost control, crashing into and flooding several of the high school classrooms. In 1989 the snowfall was so heavy it caused the roof in the foyer to collapse, causing further flooding damage to the building.

In 1997 the old red brick structure on Rexburg's Main Street was torn down, being replaced by a series of buildings that had been steadily built as the population of the city had expanded since the Teton Dam flood. It had stood for nearly seventy-five years rendering its service to the community. An average of 100 students each year had graduated from its senior classes. Those of us who witnessed the destruction of our old alma mater could not help the lump that rose in our throats as we reminisced over the memories of our high school days and the old building that served as a catalyst of our activities.

Senior Class History

September 1949

So this is Madison! Here we are a gang of meek little freshmen the class of '53. We've waited a long time for this and now it's up to us to show everyone around here that we have arrived.

May 1950

Well, the year is over, and we really have done ourselves proud. Lee Morrell was chosen to lead us. We have proved to those active sophomores, witty juniors, and towering seniors that we have plenty of possibilities.

May 1951

The start of the sophomore year began with a bang. We chose Lee Morrell as president for the second time. Our sophomore Frolic was a great success, and we walked away with the class series championship. New honors in debate, music, dramatics and athletics have been won by the students of this class.

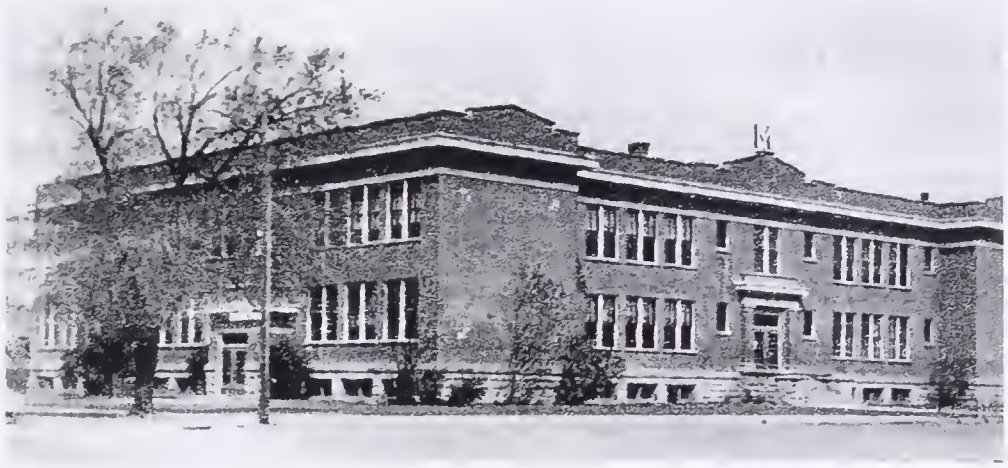
May 1952

Upper classmen at last. We have begun to realize the importance of our school careers. More than ever before the honor society list of this class rose. Our Junior Prom was very successful. Richard Smith lead us through the year and prominent student body positions were held by our class members.

May 1953

Our senior year at Madison has given us confidence and courage to meet the future. David Melendez lead this extremely successful year. The declamation play composed entirely of seniors won superior in both district and regional contest. The senior play left no doubt that there are great dramatic abilities in our class. Nearly all the student body officers are seniors.

Now we have to say good-bye to Madison. The good times we have had and thee friends we have made will never be forgotten. It is hard to turn our backs to Madison and all that it means to us. However, we are prepared – come what may- with knowledge and high ideals, which we have gained from our school years.



CLASS of 1953

AS WE LOOK BACK ON OUR HIGH SCHOOL YEARS CAN WE REMEMBER WHEN:

- MOST OF US WALKED, OR RODE A BUS TO MADISON HIGH SCHOOL.
- MR. TUESCHER HAD THE SAME EFFECT ON MOST OF HIS STUDENTS AS A GOOD SLEEPING PILL.
- THE FELLOWS WORE THE SAME LOW-RIDERS OUR GRANDSONS ARE NOW WEARING.
- MR. COOPERS CLASSROOM SMELLED AND LOOKED LIKE THE IDAHO FALLS ZOO.
- GIRLS SADDLE OXFORDS WERE OUR FAVORITE FOOTWARE.
- MRS. HARRIS LECTURED HER CLASS ON THE EVILS OF HOLDING HANDS AND KISSING BEFORE MARRIAGE.
- MR. REESE, THE CUSTODIAN, WAS THE MAN WHO COULD TELL YOU THE ANSWERS TO MOST QUESTIONS.
- "MONA LISA", "IN THE MOOD", "HALF AS MUCH", OR "TOO YOUNG" WERE "OUR" SONGS.
- MR. KERR VIEWED LEARNING ALGEBRA AS A "STAR WARS EXPERIENCE".
- THE BIGLERS GAVE GENEROUSLY OF THEIR LOVE, CARING AND KINDNESS TO EACH OF US.
- MR. HASLEY MADE THE PAGES OF HISTORY COME ALIVE.

IF YOU CAN REMEMBER JUST A FEW OF THE EXPERIENCES WE HAD IN "GOOD OLD MADISON HIGH", THEN CONSIDER YOURSELF TO BE ONE OF THE LUCKY ONES. THERE WOULD SEEM TO BE LITTLE DOUBT, THAT EACH OF OUR LIVES WAS TOUCHED AND SHAPED, IN SOME DEGREE, FROM OUR HIGH SCHOOL YEARS.

WE REMAIN "BOOSTERS OF OUR MADISON HIGH" JJ

OUR ALMA MATER

Madison High, our Alma Mater, we are here,
Ready to sing your songs and for you ever cheer,
We're ever near you, proud to cheer you,
And your boat to help you steer;
For we're boosters of our Madison High.

CHORUS

We will sing for dear old Madison High,
For the school we love so dear.
Let our praises reach the sky,
Still we can't o'er praise
Our Madison High.
Oh, let our cheers and chorus never die,
For her future have no fear;
For we're out again to win,
Through the thick or through the thin,
For we're boosters of our Madison High.

When in the future we review the days all past
Our support to you will still be firm and fast
You can depend upon our helping
For we'll stay until the last
For we're boosters of our Madison High

The High School Class Reunion

Every ten years or so, as summertime nears,
An announcement arrives in the mail,
"A reunion is planned"; it'll be really grand;
Make plans to attend without fail.

I'll never forget the first time we met;
We tried so hard to impress.
We drove fancy cars, and wore our most elegant dress.

It was quite an affair; most all the class was there.
It was held in a very nice place.
We dined, and We acted refined,
and everyone thought it was swell.

The men all conversed about who had been first,
To achieve great fortune and fame.
Meanwhile, their spouses described their fine houses
And how beautiful their children became.
The Homecoming queen, who once had been lean,
Now weighed in at one-ninety-six.
The jocks who were there had all lost their hair
and the cheerleaders could no longer do kicks.

No one had heard about the class nerd
Who'd guided a spacecraft to the moon
Or poor little Jane, who's always been plain;
She married a shipping tycoon.

The boy we'd decreed "most apt to succeed"
Was serving ten years in the pen.
While the one thought "least" now is a Judge:
just shows you can be wrong now and then.

They awarded a prize to one of the guys
Who seemed to aged the least.
Another was given to the grad
who had come the furthest to attend the feast.

They took a class picture, a curious mixture
Of crew cuts and narrow ties.
Tall, short or skinny the style was the mini;
You never saw so many thighs.

At our next get-together, no one cared whether
They impress their classmates or not.
The mood was informal, a whole lot more normal;
By this time we'd all gone to pot.

By the fortieth year it was abundantly clear
We were definitely over the hill.
Those who weren't dead had to crawl out of bed,
And be home in time for their pills.

And now I can't wait: we have set the date:
Our fiftieth is coming this summer, I'm told.
It should be a ball, they've rented a hall,
At the Shady rest home for the old.

Repairs have been made to my hearing aid;
My pacemaker's been turned up on high.
My wheel chair is oiled, and my teeth have been boiled;
And I've bought a new wig and glass eye.

I'm feeling quite hearty, and I'm ready to party;
I'm gonna dance 'til dawn's early light.'
It'll be lots of fun: I just hope that there's more than one
Who will make it that night.

Top Ten Song's of the '50 s

1950 1950

Music, Music, Music – Teresa Brewer
Mona Lisa – Nat King Cole
Chattanoogie Shoeshine Boy – Red Foley
The Tennessee Waltz - Patti Page
If I Knew You Were Coming (I'd've Baked a Cake) – Eileen Barton
The Thing – Phil Harris
Harbor Lights – Sammy Kaye
Goodnight, Irene – The Weavers
I Can Dream, Can't I – The Andrew Sisters
The Third Man Theme – Anton Karas

1951 1951

Too Young – Nat King Cole
Jezebel – Frankie Lane
If – Perry Combo
On Top Of Old Smoky – The Weavers
Cry – Johnnie Ray
Come On-A My House – Rosemary Clooney
Be My Love – Mario Lanza
How High The Moon – Les Paul & Mary Ford
(It's No) Sin – Eddy Howard
Anytime – Eddie Fisher

1952 1952

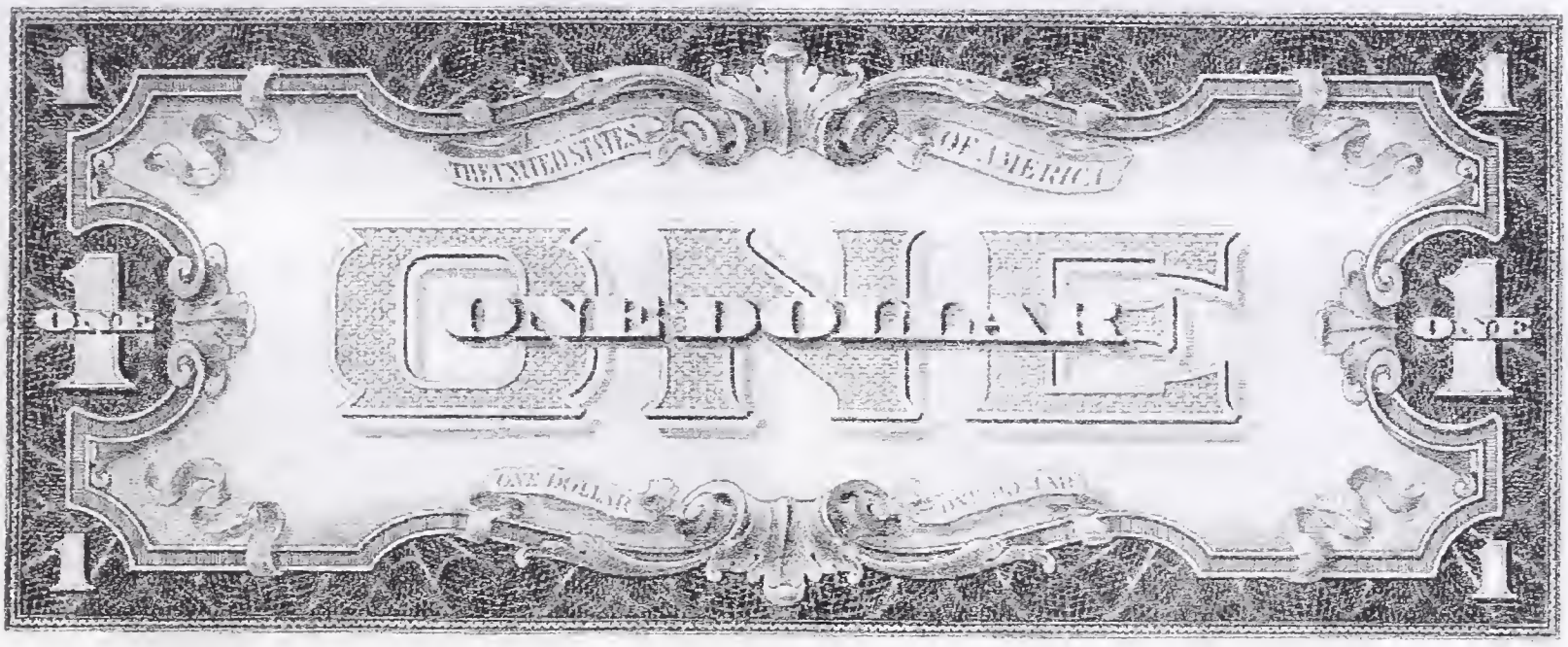
You Belong To Me – Jo Stafford
I Went To Your Wedding – Patti Page
Here In My Heart – Al Martino
Slow Poke – Pee Wee King
Half As Much – Rosemary Clooney
The Glow Worm – The Mills Brothers
Wheel Of Fortune – Kay Starr
Blue Tango – Leroy Anderson
Auf Wiederseh'n, Sweetheart – Vera Lynn
Kiss Of Fire – George Gibbs

1953 1953

That's Amore – Dean Martin
The Song From Moulin Rouge (Where is Your Heart) – Percy Faith
You You You –The Ames Brothers
I Believe – Frankie Lane
'Til I Waltz Again With You – Teresa Brewer
Ebb Tide – Frank Chacksfield
(How Much is That) Doggie in The Window – Patti Page
I'm Walking Behind You - Eddie Fisher / Sally Sweetland
Don't Let The Stars Get In Your Eyes – Perry Combo
Vaya Con Dios (May God Be With You) Les Paul & Mary Ford

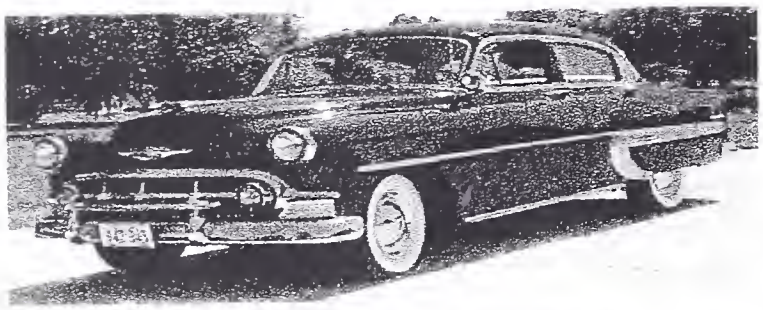
Money We Grew Up Using

The Lincoln Cent (Wheat Ears Reverse), The Buffalo Nickel, The Mercury Dime, Liberty Walking Half Dollar Franklin Half Dollar, The Peace Dollar, The Morgan Dollar



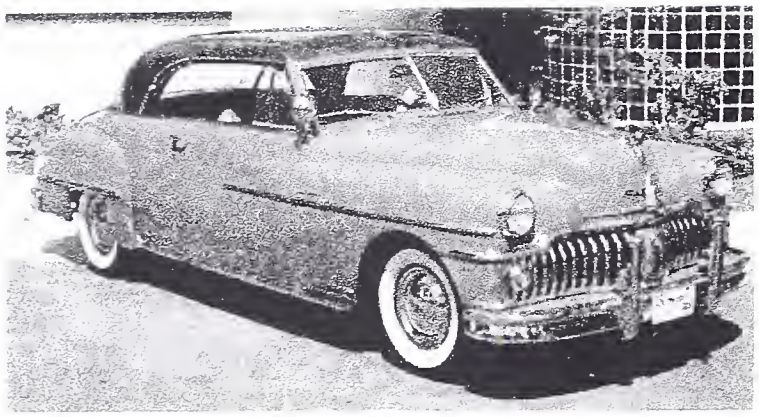
1951 Buick Roadmaster Riviera four-door sedan

1950 Cadillac Series Sixty-One Club Coupe



1953 Chevrolet Bel Air four-door sedan

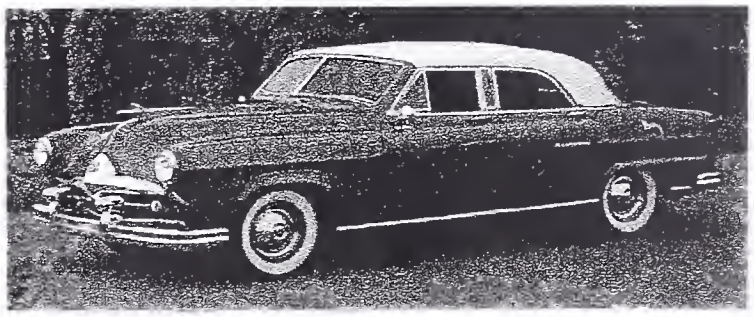
953 Chrysler Custom Imperial Town Limousine six-passenger sedan



1950 DeSoto Custom Sportsman hardtop coupe

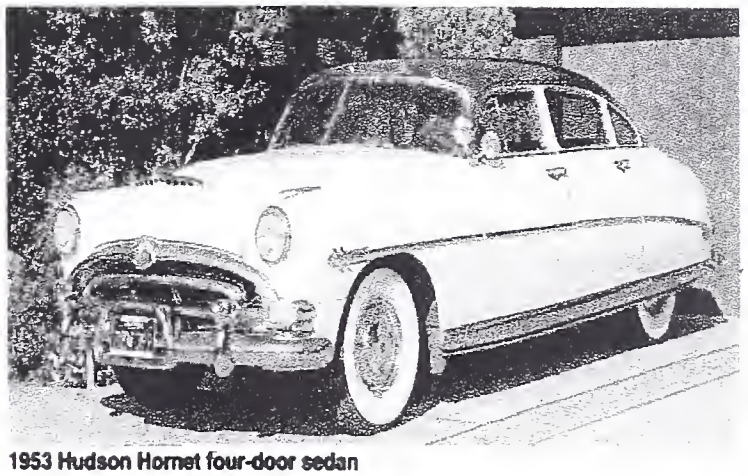
1951 Dodge Wayfarer Sportabout convertible coupe

1952 Ford Crestline Sunliner convertible coupe

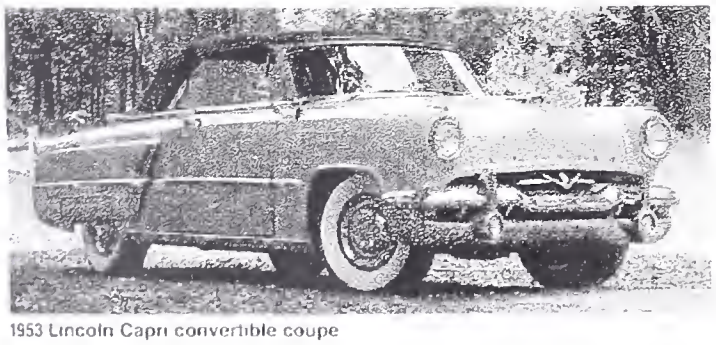


1951 Frazer Manhattan hardtop sedan

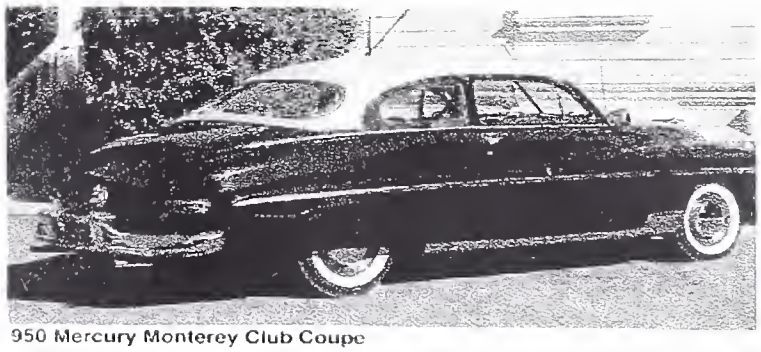
1951 Henry J two-door sedan



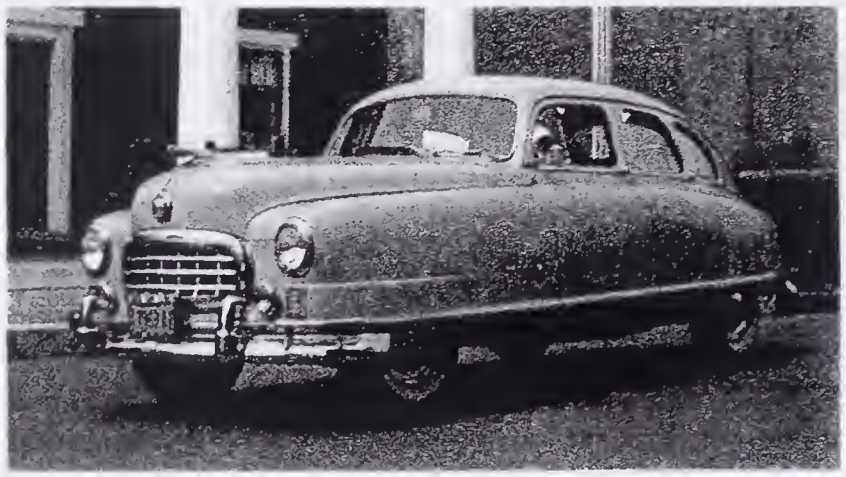
1953 Hudson Hornet four-door sedan



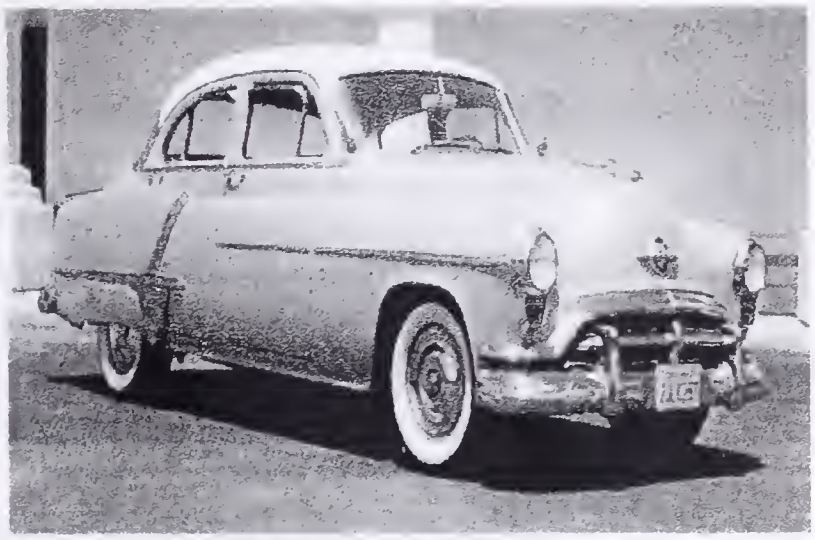
1953 Lincoln Capri convertible coupe



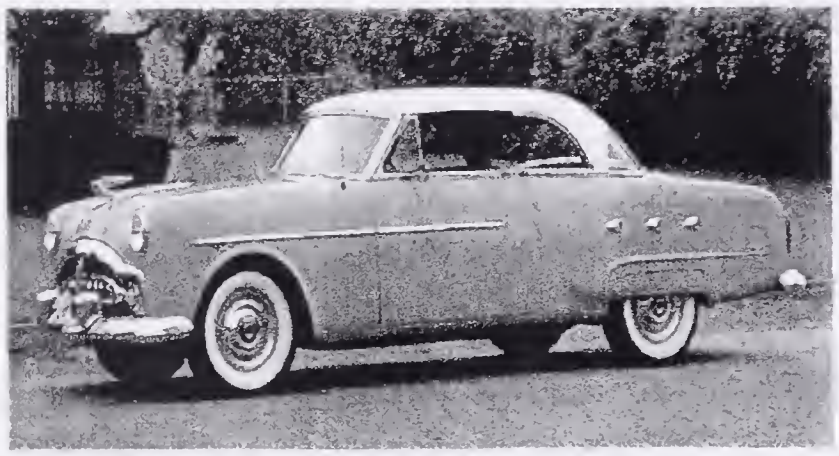
950 Mercury Monterey Club Coupe



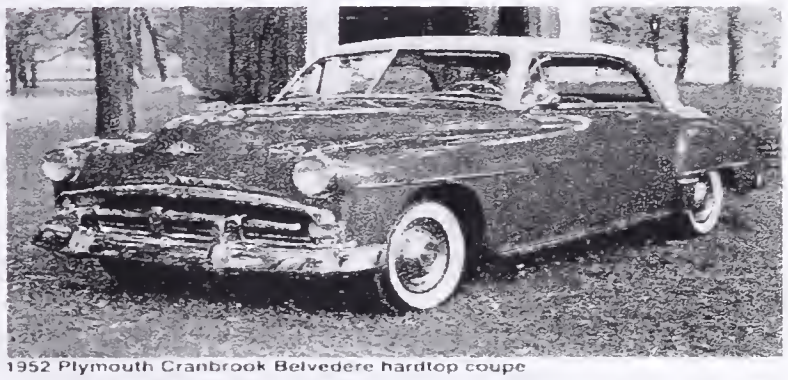
1950 Nash Ambassador Super four-door sedan



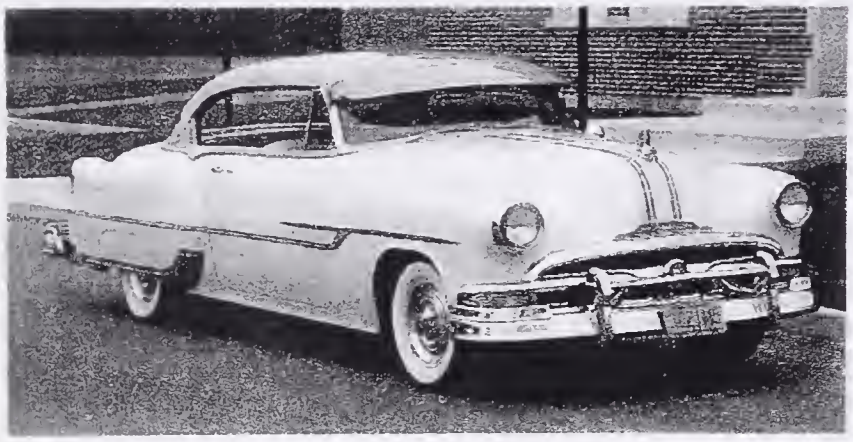
1952 Oldsmobile Super 88 four-door sedan



1952 Packard 250 Mayfair hardtop coupe

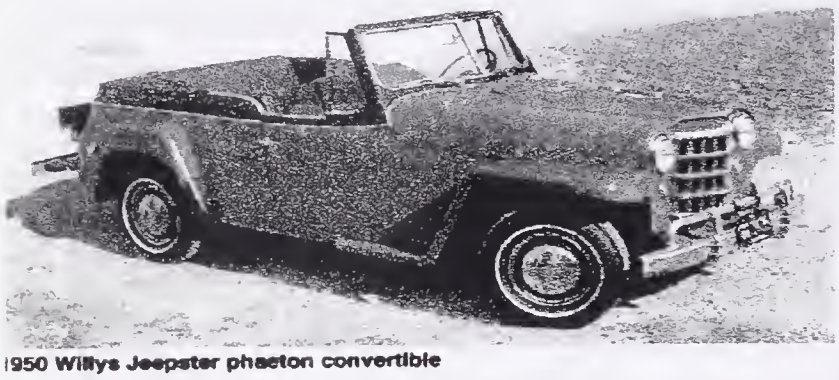


1952 Plymouth Cranbrook Belvedere hardtop coupe



1953 Pontiac Chieftain Custom Catalina hardtop coupe

1950 Studebaker Commander Regal DeLuxe convertible coupe



1950 Willys Jeepster phaeton convertible

Remember the Burma-Shave Road Signs

BOTH HANDS ON THE WHEEL,
EYES ON THE ROAD
THAT'S THE SKILLFUL DRIVER'S
CODE.

NO MATTER THE PRICE NO MATTER
HOW NEW, THE BEST SAFETY DEVICE
IN THE CAR IS YOU.

BROTHER SPEEDERS LET'S REHEARSE
ALL TOGETHER "GOOD MORNING NURSE"

A GUY WHO DRIVES A CAR WIDE OPEN IS
NOT THINKIN' HE'S JUST HOPIN'

DROVE TOO LONG DRIVER SNOOZING
WHAT HAPPENED NEXT IS NOT AMUSING

SPEED WAS HIGH, WEATHER WAS NOT,
TIRES WERE THIN X MARKS THE SPOT.

CAUTIOUS RIDER TO HER RECKLESS
DEAR, "LET'S HAVE LESS BULL AND LOTS
MORE STEER"

AT INTERSECTIONS LOOK EACH WAY A
HARP SOUNDS NICE BUT ITS HARD TO PLAY.

DON'T LOSE YOUR HEAD TO GAIN A MINUTE
YOU NEED YOUR HEAD YOUR BRAINS ARE IN IT.

PASSING CARS WHEN YOU CAN'T SEE MAY
GET YOU A GLIMPSE OF ETERNITY.

THE ONE WHO DRIVES WHEN HE'S BEEN
DRINKING DEPENDS ON YOU TO DO HIS THINKING.

THE MIDNIGHT RIDE OF PAUL FOR BEER LED
TO A WARMER HEMISPHERE.

PASSING SCHOOL ZONE TAKE IT SLOW, LET OUR
LITTLE SHAVERS GROW .

AROUND THE CURVE LICKETY-SPLIT
IT'S A BEAUTIFUL CAR WASN'T IT.

THANKS TO DEAN THOMSON CLASS OF '52 FOR KEEPING ALL
THESE GREAT SAYINGS.

Father in Heaven

Dear Father:
So far today, Father, I've done all right. I haven't gossiped, haven't lost my temper, haven't been greedy, grumpy, nasty, selfish, or over-indulgent. I'm very thankful for that. But in a few minutes, Father, I'm going to get out of bed and from then on, I'm probably going to need a lot more help. AMEN;

A BEAUTIFUL STORY:

A woman came out of her house and saw 3 old men with long white beards sitting in her front yard. She did not recognize them. She said "I don't think I know you, but you must be hungry .Please come in and have something to eat."

"Is the man of the house home?", they asked.

"No", she said. "He's out."

"Then we cannot come in", they replied.

In the evening when her husband came home, she told him what had happened.

"Go tell them I am home and invite them in!"

The woman went out and invited the men in.

"We do not go into a House together," they replied.

"Why is that?" she wanted to know.

One of the old men explained: "His name is Wealth," he said pointing to one of his friends, and said pointing to another one, "He is Success, and I am Love." Then he added, "Now go in and discuss with your husband which one of us you want in your home."

The woman went in and told her husband what was said.

Her husband was overjoyed. "How nice!!", he said. "Since that is the case, let us invite Wealth. Let him come and fill our home with wealth!"

His wife disagreed. "My dear, why don't we invite Success?"

Their daughter-in-Law was listening from the other corner of the house. She jumped in with her own suggestion: "Would it not be better to invite Love? Our home will then be filled with love!"

"Let us heed our daughter-in-Law's advice," said the husband to his wife.

"Go out and invite Love to be our guest."

The woman went out and asked the 3 old men, "Which one of you is Love? Please come in and be our guest."

Love got up and started walking toward the house. The other 2 also got Up and followed him.

Surprised, the lady asked Wealth and Success: "I only invited Love, Why are you coming in?"

The old men replied together: "If you had invited Wealth or Success, the other two of us would've stayed out, but since you invited Love, wherever He goes, we go with him. Wherever there is Love, there is also Wealth and Success!!!!"

FOR ALL THOSE BORN BEFORE 1945

CONSIDER THE CHANGES WE HAVE WITNESSED

We were born before television, penicillin, polio shots, frozen foods, Xerox, plastic, contact lens, Frisbees, and the pill. We were before radar, credit cards, split atoms, laser beams and ballpoint pens. Before pantyhose, dishwashers, clothes dryers, electric blankets, air conditioners, drip-dry clothes and before man walked on the moon.

We got married first and then lived together. How quaint can you be? In our time, closets were for clothes, not for "coming out of', gay people were fun to be around and queer's were Homosexuals. Bunnies were small rabbits and rabbits were not Volkswagens. Designer jeans were scheming girls called Jean, and having a meaningful relationship meant getting along with your cousins.

We thought fast food was what you ate in a hurry and outer space was back of the Teton drive in Theater. We were before househusbands, gay rights, computer dating, dual careers and commuter marriages. We were before day-care centers, group therapy and nursing homes. We never heard of FM radio, tape decks, electronic typewriters, artificial hearts, computers, yogurt and guys wearing earrings. For us, time-sharing meant togetherness not computers or condominiums. A chip meant a piece of wood. Hardware meant hardware. And software wasn't even a word.

Back then 'Made in Japan' meant junk and the term 'making out' referred to how you did on the exam. Pizzas, McDonald's were unheard of. We hit the scene where there were 5 and 10 cent stores, where you bought things for five or ten cents. Evans or Johnson Drug sold ice cream cones for a nickel or a double dip was a dime. For a nickel you could make a telephone call, buy a Pepsi or enough stamps to mail one letter and two post cards. You could buy a Chevy Coupe for $600.00 ...but who could afford one? A pity too, because gasoline was 11 cents a gallon.

In our day, Grass was mowed, Coke was a cold drink and Pot was something you cooked in. Rock Music was Grandma's lullaby and Aids were helpers in the Principal's office. We were certainly not before the difference between sexes was discovered, but we were before the sex changes. We made do with what we had and we are the last generation that was so dumb as to think you needed a husband to have a baby.

No wonder we are so confused and there is a generation gap today.

But, **WE SURVIVED!!** What better reason to celebrate?

THE PERKS OF BEING OVER 60

1. Kidnappers are not very interested in you.
2. In a hostage situation you are likely to be released first.
3. No one expects you to run – anywhere.
4. People call at 9 PM and ask, "Did I wake you?"
5. People no longer view you as a hypochondriac.
6. There is nothing to learn the hard way.
7. Things you buy now won't wear out.
8. You can eat dinner at 4 PM.
9. You enjoy hearing about other peoples operations.
10. You get into heated arguments about pension plans.
11. You have a party and the neighbors don't even realize it.
12. You no longer think of speed limits as a challenge.
13. You quit trying to hold your stomach in, no matter who walks in the room.
14. Your eyes won't get any worse.
15. Your investment in health insurance is finally beginning to pay off.
16. Your joints are more accurate meteorologists than the national weather service.
17. Your secrets are safe with your friends because they can't remember them either.
18. Your supply of brain cells is finally down to manageable size.
19. You can't remember who gave you this list.

IT'S HOW YOU LIVE YOUR DASH

I read of a man who stood to speak
At the funeral of a friend
He referred to the dates on her tombstone
from beginning to the end

He noted that first came her date of birth
Spoke the ending date with tears
But, he said, what mattered most
Was the dash between those years

For the dash represents all the time
She spent, alive here upon the earth
And now only those who loved her Know
what that line is worth

For it matters not how much we own
The cars, the homes, the cash
What matters is how we live and love
And how we spend our dash!

So think about this long and hard
Are there things you'd like to change?
For you never know what time is left
And what can be rearranged

If we could just slow down enough
To consider what's true and real
And always try to understand
How other people feel

If we could be less quick to anger
And show appreciation more
And love the people in our lives
Like we've never loved before

If we treat each other with respect
And more often wear a smile
Remembering that little dash
Might last but a little while

So, when your eulogy's being read
With your life's actions to rehash
Will you be proud of the things they say
About how you lived your dash?

We made it!

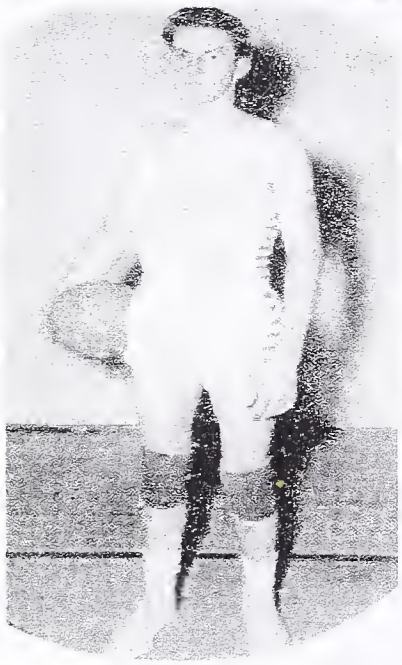
I Can't Believe We Made It! According to today's regulators and bureaucrats, those of us who were kids in the 30's, 40's, even the early 50's, probably shouldn't have survived. Our baby cribs were covered with bright colored lead-based paint. We had no childproof lids on medicine bottles, doors or cabinets, and when we rode our bikes, we had no helmets. Not to mention the risks we took hitchhiking. As children, we would ride in cars with no seat belts or air bags. Riding in the back of a pickup truck on a warm day was always a special treat. We drank water from the garden hose and not from a bottle. horrors!

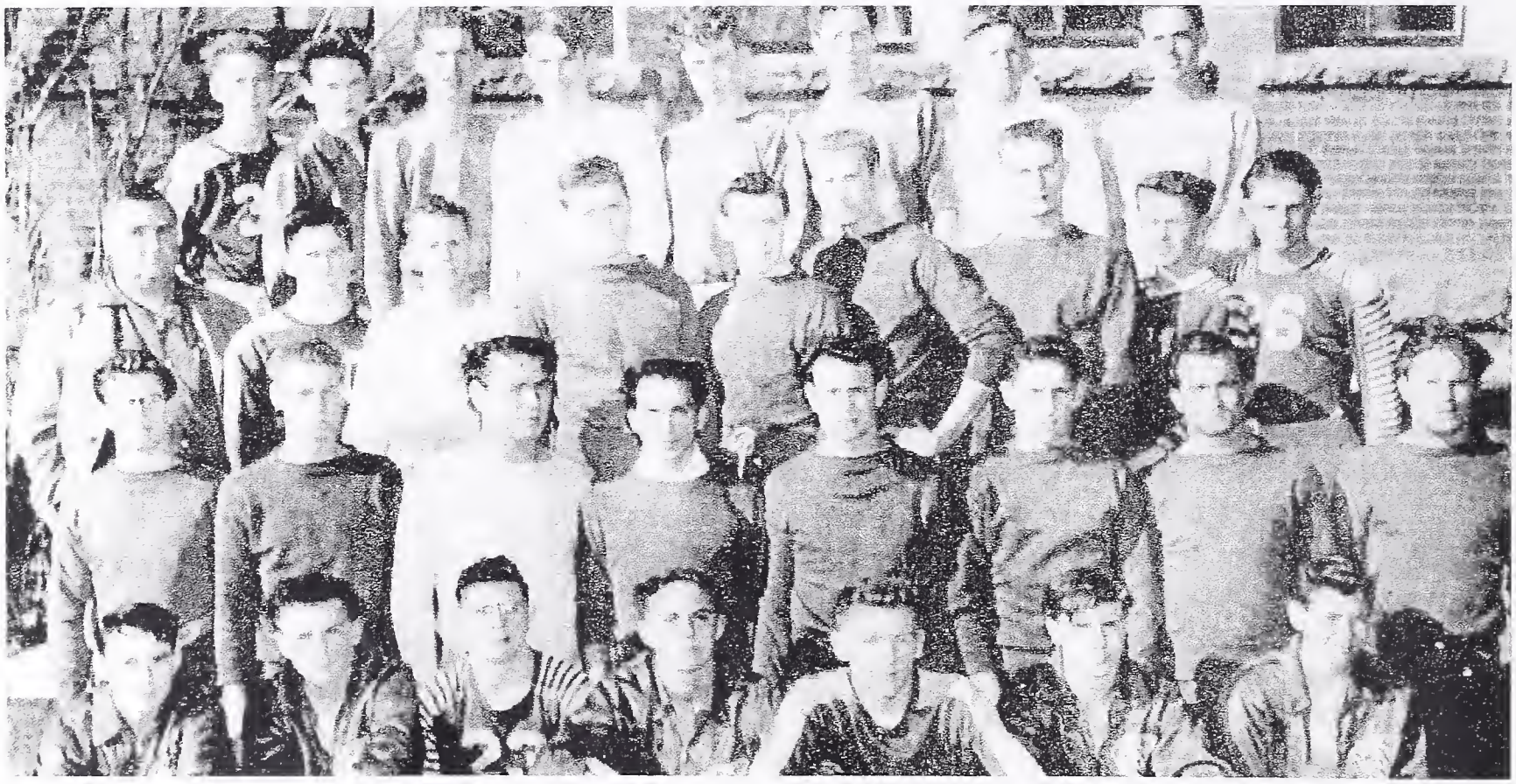
We ate cupcakes, bread and butter, and drank soda pop with sugar in it, but we were never overweight because we were always outside playing. We shared one soft drink with four friends, from one bottle, and no one actually died from this. We would spend hours building our go-carts out of scraps and then rode down the hill, only to find out we forgot the brakes. After running into the bushes a few times, we learned to solve the problem. We would leave home in the morning and play all day, as long as we were back when the street lights came on. No one was able to reach us all day. No cell phones.
Unthinkable!

We did not have Playstations, Nintendo 64, X-Boxes, no video games at all, no 99 channels on cable, video tape movies, surround sound, personal cell phones, personal computers, or Internet chat rooms. We had friends!
We went outside and found them. We played dodge ball, and sometimes, the ball would really hurt. We fell out of trees, got cut and broke bones and teeth, and there were no lawsuits from these accidents. They were accidents. No one was to blame but us. Remember accidents? We had fights and punched each other and got black and blue and learned to get over it. We made up games with sticks and tennis balls and ate worms, and although we were told it would happen, we did not put out very many eyes, nor did the worms live inside us forever. We rode bikes or walked to a friend's home and knocked on the door, or rang the bell or just walked in and talked to them. Little League had tryouts and not everyone made the team. Those who didn't had to learn to deal with disappointment. Some students weren't as smart as others, so they failed a grade and were held back to repeat the same grade.
Horrors!

Tests were not adjusted for any reason. Our actions were our own. consequences were expected. The idea of a parent bailing us out if we broke a law was unheard of. They actually sided with the law. Imagine that! This generation has produced some of the best risk-takers and problem solvers and inventors, ever. The past 50 years have been an explosion of innovation and new ideas. We had freedom, failure, success and responsibility, and we learned how to deal with it all. And you're one of them! Congratulations.

Please pass this on to others who have
had the luck to grow up as kids, before lawyers and government regulated our lives, for our own good!!





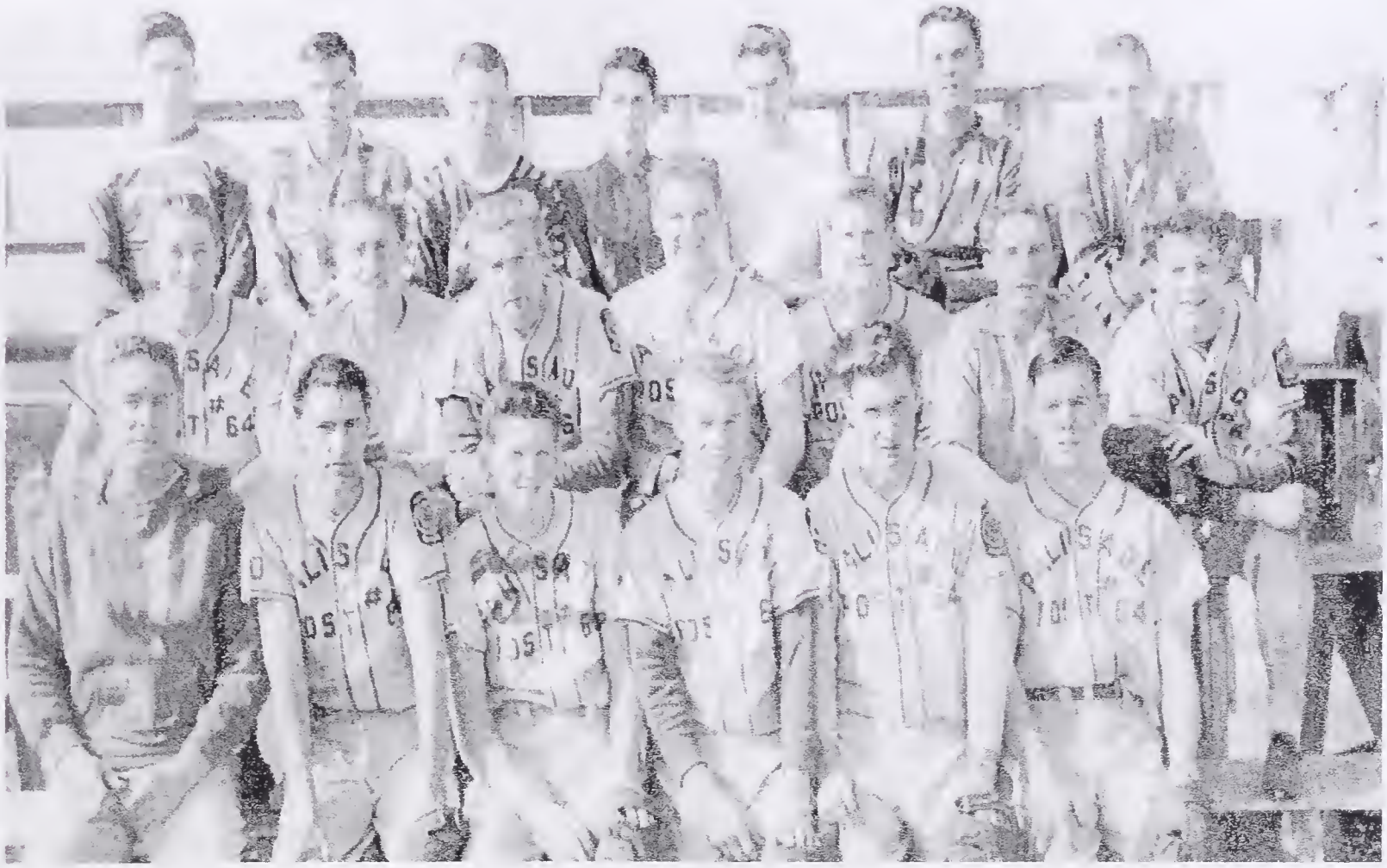
GRADUATING PLAYERS

Front Row, left to right:—

DAVID MELENDEZ, DaVON LAUDER, GARRY PARKINSON, DON WINN.

Second Row:—

ARLISS WILLMORE, GERALD TAYLOR, FRANCHOT JENSEN, MELVIN RICKS, BERT TROST, and DEAN BARNEY.



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AD2

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AD 4

Miss Wultz
Fifth Grade
1946
AD5

AD6

AR8

BR 1

BR 2

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6, 7, 8th
GRADE

4
8th
GRADE

WA 1A

WA 1B
First Grade

WA2

WA 3

WA 4

WA5
Grade 5
Miss Goodliffe
Miss Calaway

WA6

WA JR
A
7th Grade
1943

WA JR
7B
7th Grade

WA JR
8A

WA JR
8B

Eight Grade Graduation – Washington Jr. High (May 20, 1949) (Mrs Elenor Frost & C Victor Anderson)

5th Row: Mrs Elinor Frost, Francot Jensen, Dennis Emery, Don Winn, Gerald Taylor, Dale Christensen, Howard Biddulph, Lee Morrell, Ted Powell, Melvin Ricks, Bill Lawrence, Darrell Henderson, Jack Waddel, Brent Smith, Larry Jenson, Keith Garner, Henry Wittaker, Mr. C. Victor Anderson

4th Row: Douglas Swendson, Ronald Rigby, Don Percival, Keith Hinkley, Garth Wilson, Carl Hedelius, Marsha Hegsted, Mary Simmons, Shirley Anderson, Kay Wilding, Claire Fullmer, Ruth Winter, David Melendez, Steve Johnson, Henry Wilford, Gary Nixon, Garry Parkinson, DaVon Lauder, Verl Hansen,

3rd Row: Viola Clemons, Darla England, Patricia Murdock, Reva Smith, Claire Lynn McKinley, Sue Randall, Brent Bell, Frank Ricks,Dee Brower, Lillowene Clemons, Cora Lee Turner, Pearl Clemonts, Shirley Klinger, Maurine Prichard, Carol Welker

2nd Row: George Bush, Blaine Cook, Shirley Pearson, Donetta Burns, Diane Clements, Bonnie Sellers, Joan Kerbs, Marilyn Harris, Carolyn Parkinson, Ila Jean Huskinson, Ruth Rasmussen,Joan Cluff, Gary Ard, Bert Trost, Warren Topham

1st Row: Gary Winter, Gary Christenson, Loren Arnold, LaVon Bowen, Wilma Taylor, Renee Lewis, Margret Goodliffe, Patty Tophan, Colleeen Hill, Ann Weiser, Bonnie Jean Neville, Sharon Bird, Richard Smith, Tom Webster

79 Classmates DLAN DARNEL DALE NELSON DWIGHT SPALDING

M.H.S.

8 yr
R1.
1961

15 YR
R2
1968

20 YR
R3
1973

25 YR
R4
1978

30 Year Reunion
July 9, 1983

4th Row Nylin Nelson, Darrell Henderson, Bert Trost, Robert Keele, Brent Bell, Dennis Emery, Garry Parkinson

3rd Row Mary Vollman, Dwight Spaulding, Donald Fisher, Vearl Hansen, Keith Hinkley, Larry Jensen , Arliss Willmore Gerald Taylor, Mary Jean Rigby, Joan Hill , Marsha Hegsted

2nd Row Maxine Brigggs, Luella Kauer, Ila Jean Huskinson, Carol Welker, Jean Smith, Bonnie Sellers, Patty Topham, Sue Randall, Colleen Cook, Ruth Winters, Ann Weiser, Carolyn Parkinson

1st Row Claire Lynn McKinlay, Colleen Hill, Darla England, Shirley Anderson, Elma Jean Hansen, Kay Wilding, Claire Fullmer Gail Nelson, Sharon Parker, Jerry Moore

40 Year Reunion
July 1993

5th Row Keith Hinkley, Brent Bell, Ross Hinkley, Garth Wison, Larry Hill, Harry Munns, Henry Whitaker, Vearl Hansen, Brent Hall, Dwight Spaulding, Larry Jensen (43)

4th Row George Wilding, Donald Fisher, Claire Fullmer, DaVon Lauder, Bert Trost, Shirley Anderson, Joan Hill, Colleen Hill Kay Wilding, Darrell Henderson

3rd Row Tom Webster, Viola Clemons, Carol Welker, Gail Nelson, Gary Christensen, Sharon Parker, Sue Randall, Mary Jean Rigby, Garry Parkinson

2nd Row Melvin Ricks, Don Winn, Darla England, Jeanette Jackomsen, Carolyn Parkinson, Ann Weiser, Pat Topham, Ila Jean Huskinson, Marsha Hegsted, Mary Vollman, Ruth Winter

1st Row Pearl Clemons, (Teachers- Norval Bigier, Lenore Bigler, Alta Fisher, Merle Fisher) Claire Lynn McKinley

45 Year Reunion (July 1998)

6th Row Gerald Taylor, Keith Hinkley, Don Percival, Howard Biddulph, Larry Jensen (28)
5th Row DaVon Lauder, Ross Hinkley, Dwight Spaulding
4th Row Claire Fullmer, Maxine Briggs, Vearl Hansen
3th Row Gail Nelson, Luella Kauer, Sharon Parker, Brent Bell, Douglas Swendsen
2nd Row Claire Lynn McKinley, Sue Randall, Colleen Hill, Colleen Cook, Marsha Hegsted, Bert Trost
1st Row Ann Weiser, Carolyn Parkinson, Joan Hill, Pat Topham, Jo Ann Thompson, Ruth Winters

AD1 Adams 1st Grade

FIRST ROW:

Jack Clark, Gary Richards, Gary Christensen, Frank Blackburn, Richard Smith, Brent Smith

SECOND ROW:

Ann Weiser, Marsha Hegsted, Colleen Hill, Clairelyn McKinley, Jeannine Parker, Vonna Burnham, Ila Jean Huskinson

THIRD ROW:

Miss Furness, Karen Searcy, Joan Walker, Mrs. Bitter, Warren Topham, Kay Wilding, Carolyn Parkinson, Miss Swensen

FOURTH ROW:

Gerald Taylor, Lee Morrell, Wayne Pearson, Howard Biddulph, Ronald Rigby

AD2 Adams 2nd Grade

FIRST ROW:

Warren Topham, Tom Webster, Brent Smith, Gerald Taylor, Dean Barney, Keith Garner

SECOND ROW:

Helen Hawkes, Marsha Hegsted, Ila Jean Huskinson, Joan Cluff, Carolyn Parkinson, Colleen Hill, Ann Weiser

THIRD ROW:

Gary Christensen, Henry Whittaker, Joan Walker, Jeannine Parker, Mary Simmons, Richard Smith, Mrs. Roberts

FOURTH ROW:

Lee Morrell, Howard Biddulph,, ??, Melvin Ricks, Wayne Pearson

AD3 Adams 3rd Grade

FIRST ROW:

Gary Christensen, Warren Topham, Tom Webster, Richard Smith, Dale Christenson, Gerald Taylor, Brent Smith

SECOND ROW:

??,Joan Walker, Maurine Prichard, Ila Jean Huskinson, ??, Kay Wilding, Ann Wieser, Blaine Cook

THIRD ROW:

??, Carolyn Parkinson, Joan Cluff, Clairelyn McKinley, Darla England, Sharon Hansen, Marsha Hegstead, Mary Simmons, Mrs. Teuscher

FOURTH ROW:

Harvey Wright, Dean Barney, Katz Suzikie, Wayne Pearson, Lee Morrell, Dennis Emery, Ronald Rigby, Howard Biddulph, ??, Keith Garner

AD4 Adams 4th Grade

FIRST ROW:

Keith Garner, Dean Barney, Gary Christensen, Tom Webster, Warren Topham, Brent Smith

SECOND ROW:

Lee Morrell, Ila Jean Huskinson, Darla England, Shirley Hansen, Joan Cluff, Marsha Hegsted, Colleen Hill, Clairelyn McKinlay

THIRD ROW:

Miss Gordon, Carolyn Parkinson, Mary Simmons, Kay Wilding, Ronald Rigby, Gerald Taylor, Howard Biddulph, Katz Suzikie, Henry Whittaker

FOURTH ROW:

AD5 Adams 5th' Grade

FIRST ROW:

Pat Topham, Warren Topham, ??, Tom Webster, Brent Smith, Richard Smith, Henry Whittaker, Gary Christensen

SECOND ROW:

Ila Jean Huskinson, Cairlyn McKinlay, Ruth Winter, Kay Wilding, Mary Simmons, Wanda Green, Lavon Garner, Sue Randall, Marsha Hegsted, Shirley Hansen

THIRD ROW

??, Carolyn Parkinson, Sally Ford, Colleen Hill, Ann Weiser, Joan Cluff, Darla England, Katz Suzikie, Melvin Ricks, Keith Garner, Miss Walz

FOURTH ROW:

Keith Hinkley, Douglas Swendsen, Dennis Emery, Lee Morrell, Dean Barney, Ronald Rigby, Howard Biddulph, Gerald Taylor, Don Percival

AD6 Adams 6th' Grade

FIRST ROW:

Katz Suzikie, Brent Smith, Gerald Taylor, Tom Webster, Richard Smith, Gary Christenson, Warren Topham, Melvin Ricks, Keith Garner

SECOND ROW:

Ruth Rasmusssen, Lorraine Rowe, Pearl Clemons, Sally Ford, Kay Wilding, Ruth Winter, Shirley Hansen, Lillowine Clemons, Mr. Fisher

THIRD ROW:

Viol Clemons, Carol Welker, Carolyn Parkinson, Darla England, Colleen Hill, Ann Weiser, Joan Cluff, Pat Topham, Lavon Bowen, Wanda Green

FOURTH ROW:

Geraldine McDonald, Mary Simmons, Ila Jean Huskinson, Shirley Anderson, Clairelyn McKinlay, Marsha Hegsted, Sue Randall, Lee Morrell

Fifth ROW:

Henry Whittaker, Howard Biddulph, Ronald Rigby, Don Percivle, Fred Gimple, Dennis Emery, Carl Hedilius, Keith Hinkley

AR8 Archer 8th Grade Graduation

FIRST ROW:

Twila Cheney, Dorthy Hoopes, Sheila Barney, Idagene Jeppson, Ada Lou Sutton, Colleen Cook

SECOND ROW:

Dwayne Luthy, Nelson Guymon, Boyd Weeks, Stephen Grover (Teacher), Theron Cheney, Donald Reno

BR1 Burton April Fools Day (Boys dressed as Girls & Girls as Boys

FIRST ROW:

Derrell Hope, Dorknella Jensen, Ross Hinkley, Brent Hall, Dwight Spaulding, Tony Thomason, Gene Smith.

SECOND ROW:

Bud Fixsted, Kay Jensen, Mary Weimer, Carol Beattie, Lawena Little, LaRee Huffaker, Luella Kauer, Naomi Spaulding,
Verl Hansen.

THIRD ROW:

Lewis Dilfree, Belva Nef, Dorothy Holden, Roberta LaFevre, Royal Weber, Jean Hinkley, David Walz

FOURTH ROW:

Roy Bingo, Heber Jensen (Teacher) , John Summers

BR8 Burton Independence 8th Grade Graduation

FIRST ROW:

Carole Beattie, Lawena Little, LaRee Huffaker, Maurine Spaulding, Luella Kauer, Joan Hill, Verda Edstrom

SECOND ROW:

Tony Thomason, Dwight Spaulding, Brent Hall, Gary Spaulding, Bob Keele, Ross Hinkley

HB1 Hibbard 3rd, 4th, and 5th Grade

FIRST ROW:

Helen Ward, Loa Lee, Janet Rock Mary Willmore, Martha Willmore, Marva Willmore, Kare Ricks, Karen Bell, ???, Carol Sommer, Jeannine Johnson

SECOND ROW:

Mary Jean Rigby, Vivian Willmore, Cheron Hendricks, Jerry Moore, Mary Lou Davis, Donald Widdison, Sharon Parker, Marie Brower, Arliss Willmore, Donald Fisher

THIRD ROW:

Nile Hendricks, Orlin Lusk, Bonnie Sellers, Glen Parker, Ray Willmore, Lynn Parker, Orville Atkinson, Katsou Sazuki, Merl Withers, Ramon Widdison, Bertie Davis (Teacher)

HB2 Hibbard 6th, 7th, 8th Grade

FIRST ROW:

Cheron Hendricks, Carrol Sommer, Dean Barney, Maxine Sommer, Jerry Moore, Vard Hendricks, Mary Jean Rigby, Margie Rock, Vonn Withers, Karen Jensen, Karen Ricks, Bruce Ricks

SECOND ROW:

Virgil Jones, Orville Atkinson, Lynn Parker, Gerald Sommer, Donald Widdison, Glen Parker, Leo Rigby, Katsuo Suzuki,
Ray Willmore, Roman Widdison, Flyod Willmore

THIRD ROW:

Arliss Willmore Shirley Hendricks, Reed Barney, Elmer Park, Frank Moore, Marie Brower, Mary Lou Davis, Donald Fisher, Milo Siepert

HB3 Hibbard 8th Grade Graduation

FIRST ROW:

Maxine Sommer, Mary Jean Rigby, Cheron Hendricks, Carol Sommer, Sharon Parker

SECOND ROW:

Jerry Moore, Glen Parker, Arliss Willmore, Donald Fisher, Wain Davis (Teacher), Dean Barney, Katsuo Suzuki, Marie Brower

LY1 Lyman 7th & 8th Grade

FIRST ROW:

Freda Clements, Mary Vollman, Verla Shrp, Betty Smith

SECOND ROW:

Luella Smith, Nelda Rainey, Elma Jean Smith, Ganell Clark

THIRD ROW:

June Mortensen (Teacher), Lorin Mortinsen, Garold Galbraith, Ross Bown, Calvin Nielsen, Jack Blackburn

LY2 Lyman 8th Grade Graduation

FIRST ROW:

Mary Vollman, Betty Smith, Verla Sharp, Elma Jean Hansen

SECOND ROW:

Heber Fowlers (Teacher), Calvin Nielsen, Ross Bowen, Gerald Galbraith, Harry Munns, Lorin Mortensen

U 6th, 7th, 8th Grades

FIRST ROW:

Verla Ray Orme, Elva Anderson, Sharon Higley, Marlene Anderson, Doris Anderson, Neolia Anderson, Barbara Horne, Jean Hill

SECOND ROW:

??, Karen Keele, Sharon Anderson, Maxine Briggs, Jo Ann Thompson, Lorraine Rowe, Jolene Butler, Barbara Anderson, Larry Hill, Vern Anderson

THIRD ROW:

Margaret Moss (Teacher), Eldon McRae, Dale Spalding, Ned Horn, Kay Anderson, Sheryl Nelson, Richard Anderson

U 8 Union 8th Grade Graduation

FIRST ROW:

Maxine Briggs, Jo Ann Thompson, Sharon Anderson, Margaret Moss Teacher

SECOND ROW:

Elden (Skip) McRae, Larry Hill, Bill Koon, Richard Anderson, Ned Horn

WA1A Washington 1st Grade Alternate Class

FIRST ROW:

Lester ?, Bert Trost, Carl Hedelias, Gary Stiener, Blaine Cook, David Melendez

SECOND ROW:

Yonne ?, Shirley Klinger, Rena ?, Helen Hope, Joan Kerbs, Bonnie Neville, Diana Clements, Margret Goodliffe

THIRD ROW:

Ted Powell, Don Winn, Fred Dimple, Dennis Emery, Jack ?, Bill Lawrence, ?Keith ?, Gail Nelson

FOURTH ROW;

??,??,??

WA1B Washington 1st Grade

FIRST ROW:

Tom Webster, Gordon Stiener, Garry Parkinson, Dean Barney, Brent Bell

SECOND ROW:

Shirlee Pearson, Hellen Hope, Carol Welker, Helen Hawks, Renee Lewis, Sharon Bird, Percia Green

THIRD ROW:

Nyle Bigler, ??, Steve Johnson, Larry Jensen, Keith Hinkley, DaVon Lauder, Bonnie Holms

FOURTH ROW:

Miss Mcall, S. Teacher, S. Teacher

WA2 Washington 2st Grade

FIRST ROW:

David Melendez, Bill Lawrence, Garry Parkinson, Gary Steiner, Nylin Nelson, Gordon Steiner, Blaine Cook

SECOND ROW:

Steve Johnson, Margret Goodliffe, Darla England, Gail Nelson, Renee Lewis, Carol Welker, Diana Clements, Sharon Bird, Bonnie Neville, Percia Green, Shirlee Pearson

THIRD ROW:

Vonna Bringham, Nyal Bigler, Bonnie Holmes, Reva Smith, Larry Jensen, Shirley Klinger, S. Teacher, Joan Kerbs

FOURTH ROW:

Miss Walz, Keith Hinkley, Gerald Peterson, DaVon Lauder, Carl Hedelius, Dennis Emery, Don Winn, Ted Powell, Bert Trost, Lester ?

WA3 Washington 3rd Grade

FIRST ROW:

Bert Trost, Gordon Steiner, Carl Klinger, Frank Ricks, David Melendez, Gary Steiner, George Bush, DaVon Lauder

SECOND ROW:

S. Teacher, Margret Goodliffe, Renee Lewis, Shirlee Pearson, Sharon Bird, Jean Neville, Diana Clemons, Percia Green

THIRD ROW:

Brent Bell, Garry Parkinson, Fred Dimple, Reva Smith, Gail Nelson, Shirley Klinger, Nyal Bigler, Glena White, Mrs Bigler

FOURTH ROW:

Carl Hedelias, Gerald Peterson, Steve Johnson, Bill Lawrence, Ted Powell, Larry Jensen, Garth Wilson, Don Winn, Keith Hinkley

WA4 Washington 4th Grade

FIRST ROW:

Carl Klinger, Franchot Jensen, DaVon Lauder, Gordon Steiner, George Bush, Gordon Steiner, Bert Trost

SECOND ROW:

Joan Kerbs, Carol Welker, Renee Lewis, Margret Goodliffe, Reva Smith, Pearl Clemons, Viola Clemons, Sharon Bird, Diana Clements, Bonnie Neville

THIRD ROW:

Steve Johnson, Garth Wilson, Dennis Emery, Fred Dimple, Shirley Klinger, Renee Grover, Shirlee Pearson, Lilloween Clemons, Glenna White, Gail Nelson, MissRindlisbacker

FOURTH ROW:

Bent Bell, Gary Ord, Frank Ricks,Carl Hedelias, Royce Riley, Ted Powell, David Melendez, Don Winn, Garry Parkinson,
Bill Lawrence, Larry Jensen

WA5 Washington 5th Grade

FIRST ROW:

Garth Wilson, George Bush, Bert Trost, Garry Parkinson, Franchot Jensen, DaVon Lauder, David Melendez, Blaine Cook

SECOND ROW:

Sharon Bird, Bonnie Neville, Shirlee Peason, Reva Smith, Claire Fullmer, Pearl Clemons, Lillowene Clemons, Renee Lewis, Marilyn Harris, Margret Goodliffe

THIRD ROW:

Miss Calaway, Joan Kerbs, Kiane Clements, Viola Clemons, Glynis White, Carol Welker, Shirley Klinger, Gail Nelson, Maurine Prichard, ? Jarvis, Miss Goodliffe

FOURTH ROW:

Don Winn, Carl Hedilius, Carl Klinger, Frank Ricks, Bill Lawrence, Steve Johnson, Brent Bell, Max Anderson, Gary Ord, Mr. Anderson

WA6 Washington 6th Grade

FIRST ROW:

Carl Klinger, DaVon Lauder, George Bush, Dave Melendez, Bert Trost, Franchot Jensen, Blaine Cook

SECOND ROW:

Diane Clements, Shirlee Pearson, Margret Goodliffe, Renee Lewis, Maurine Prichard, Shirley Klinger, Reva Smith, Glynis White, Sharon Bird, ??, Bonnie Neville

THIRD ROW:

Mr Anderson, Brent Bell, Steve Johnson, Garth Wilson, ??, Donnette Burns, Joan Hill, Bonnie Sellers, Gail Nelson, Claire Fullmer, Marilyn Harris

FOURTH ROW:

Max Anderson, Darrell Henderson,Frank Ricks, Dean Barney, Dale Christenson, Douglas Swendsen, Larry Jensen, Bill Lawrence, Ted Powell, Don Winn, Garry Parkinson

WAJR7A Washington Jr Hi 7th` Grade

FIRST ROW:

Brent Bell, Brent Smith, David Melendez, Gary Christensen, George Bush, Bert Trost, Don Percival, DaVon Lauder

SECOND ROW:

Mr. Clements, Diane Clements, Wilma Taylor, Clairelyn McKinlay, Pat Topham, Colleen Hill, Bonnie Sellers, Joan Kerbs, Margret Goodliffe, Viola Clemons, Shirlee Pearson

THIRD ROW:

Reva Smith, Lavon Bowen, Mary Dee Simmons, Kay Wilding, Marsha Hegsted, Ruth Winter, Sue Randall, Geraldine McDonald, Carol Welker, Mr. Pederson

FOURTH ROW:

Marilyn Harris, Gerald Taylor, Franchot Jensen, Don Winn, Ted Powell, Dale Christensen, Henry Whittaker, Gary Nixon, Keith Hinkley, Patrica Murdock

WAJR7B Washington Jr Hi 7th Grade

FIRST ROW:

Douglas Swendsen, Blaine Cook, Carl Hedelius, Gary Winter, Darrell Henderson, Tom Webster, Richard Smith, Warren Topham, Garry Parkinson

SECOND ROW:

Bonnie Neville, Ila Jean Huskinson, Roxanne Leatham, Sharon Bird, Donnetta Burns, Renee Lewis, Joan Cluff, Ruth Rassmussen, Ann Wieser, Ronald Rigby

THIRD ROW:

Robert Pederson(Teacher), Carolyn Parkinson, Claire Fullmer, Pearl Clemons, Shirley Klinger, Shirley Anderson , Darla England, Maurine Prichard, Lillowene Clemons, Mark Anderson (Teacher)

FOURTH ROW:

Howad Bidulph, Larry Jensen, Garth Wilson, Dennis Emery, Lee Morrell, Frank Ricks, Bill Lawrence, Max Anderson, Melvin Ricks

WAJR8A Washington Jr Hi 8th Grade

FIRST ROW:

Gary Ord, Ronald Rigby, Richard Smith, Garry Parkinson, Douglas Swendsen, George Bush, Gary Christensen

SECOND ROW:

Sharon Bird, Bonnie Sellers, Joan Kerbs, Lavon Bowen, Claire Fullmer, Reva Smith, Diane Clenents, Bonnie Neville

THIRD ROW:

Mr. Anderson, Pat Topham, Shirlee Pearson, Sue Randall, Ruth Winters, Ila Jean Huskinson, Pearl Clemons, Viola Clemons, Marilyn Harris, Mrs. Frost

FOURTH ROW:

Franchot Jensen, Dee Brower, Darrell Henderson, Jack Waddel, Dennis Emery, Howard Bidulph, Frank Ricks, Brent Bell, DaVon Lauder, Gary Nixon

WAJR8B Washington Jr Hi 8th Grade

FIRST ROW:

Gary winters, Tom Webster, Warren Topham, Vearl Hansen, Bert Trost, David Melendez, Blaine Cook, Keith Garner

SECOND ROW:

Ann Weiser, JoAnn Cluff, Caroln Parkinson, Wilma Taylor, Maurine Prichard, Ruth Rassmussen, Donette Burns, Margaret Goodliffe, Darla England, Steve Johnson

THIRD ROW:

Don Percival, Clairlyn McKinley, Patrica Murdock, Marsha Hegstead, Shirley Klinger, Mary Dee Simmons, Kay Wilding, Shirley Anderson, Lilloween Clemons, Carol Welker, Elinor Frost (Teacher)

FOURTH ROW:

Mr. Anderson(Teacher), Keith Hinkley, Don Winn, Gerald Taylor, Melvin Ricks, Lee Morrell, Ted Powell, Dale Cristenson, Henry Whittaker, Bill Lawrence, Garth Wilson, Brent Smith, Carl Hedelius, Practice Teacher

MADISON HIGH SCHOOL - GRADUATING CLASS OF 1953

Front Row - right to left
Luella Kauer, Carole Beattie, Ruth Winters, Viola Clemons, Bonnie Neville, Shirley Pearson, Verda Edstrom, Joan Hill, Darla England, Margaret Goodliffe, Sharon Bird, Ann Weiser, Patty Topham, Colleen Hill, Marlene Eck, Lawena Little, Colleen Cook
2nd Row - **Maxine Briggs, Betty Smith, Mary Vollman, Beth Anderson, Sharon Anderson, Lillowene Clemons, Joan Cluff, Jean Smith, Idagene Jeppson, Ada Lou Sutton, Marie Brower, Jerry Moore, Reva Smith, Sue Randall, Claire Lynne McKinley, Bonnie Sellers, Lorraine Rowe , Ruth Rasmussen**
3rd Row - **Marsha Hegsted, Carolyn Parkinson, Jo Ann Thompson, Twila Cheney, Shirley Klingler, Donetta Burns, Carol Welker, Elma Jean Hansen, Faye Thomas , Claire Fullmer, Kay Wilding Gail Nelson, Virginia Evans, Jannette Jackomsen, Sharon Parker, Mary Jean Rigby, Pearl Clemons, Ila Jean Huskinson**
4th Row **- Howard Bidulph, Orian Westover , Richard Smith, Brent Hall, Don Winn, Gary Winters, Franchot Jensen, DaVon Lauder, David Melendez, Darrell Henderson, Brent Smith, Garry Parkinson, Don Percival, Dwight Spaulding, Bert Trost, Nylin Nelson, Douglas Swendsen, Larren Arnold, Gary Christensen, Ned Horne, Melvin Ricks, Lee Morrell**
5th Row **- Harry Munns, Dwayne Luthy, Tony Thomason, Donald Fisher, Vearl Hansen, Theron Cheney, Dennis Emery, Gerald Taylor, Arliss Willmore, Ted Powell, Henry Whittaker, Larry Sid Jensen, Ronald Rigby, Keith Hinckley, Brent Bell, Bob Keele, Jack Waddell, Donald Reno, Larry Hill, Lorin Mortensen,**
Back Row **– (left side) - Richard Anderson?, Dean Barney , (right side) - Tom Webster, Warren Topham, Del Mar Hansen (Cheron Hendricks, LaRee Huffaker ??)**

R1 1961 8 Year Reunion

Row 1: Mary Vollman, Clairlyn McKinley, Gail Nelson, Claire Fullmer, Mary Jean Rigby, Joan Hill, Pat Topham, Colleen Hill, Kay Wilding, Jerry Moore, Pearl Clemons, Viola Clemons, Luella Kauer, LaRee Huffaker
Row 2: Brent Hall, Larry Jensen, Lillowene Clemons, Beth Anderson, Marie Brower, Shelia Erickson, Darla England, Carol Welker, Ila Jean Huskinson, Ruth Rassmussen, Ruth Winters, Joan Cluff, Donetta Burns, Sharon Parker, Sue Randall, Ann Weiser, Shirley Anderson, Garry Parkinson, Ronald Rigby
Row3: Brent Bell, Vearl Hansen, Keith Hinkley, Dwight Spaulding, Dwayne Luthy, Theron Cheney, Ted Powell, Bert Trost, Donald Fisher, Lee Morrell, Melvin Ricks, DaVon Lauder, David Melendez, Darrell Henderson, Don Percival, Jack Waddel, Gerald Taylor, Brent Smith, ??, Tom Webster

R2 1968 15 Year Reunion

Row 1: Mary Jean Rigby, Pat Topham, Colleen Hill, Clairelyn McKinley, Sue Randall, Mr. Alma Teuscher, Joan Hill, Jerry Moore, Ruth Winters, LaRee Huffaker
Row2: Larry Jensen, Sharon Parker, Donetta Burns, Fay Thomas, Mary Vollman, Bonnie Neville, Shelia Erickson, Carol Welker, Marie Brower, Jannette Jackomsen, Bonnie Sellers, Gail Nelson, Kay Wilding, Darla England, Tom Webster
Row 3: **Brent Bell, Don Winn, Gerald Taylor, Jack Waddel, Keith Hinkley, Ross Hinkley, Dwight Spaulding, Veral Hansen, Brent Hall, Franchot Jensen, Bert Trost, Garry Parkinson**

R3 1973 20 Year Reunion

Row 1: Carolyn Parkinson, Colleen Hill, Sharon Parker, Clairelyn McKinley, Sharon Bird, Sue Randall, Carol Welker, Jerry Moore, Gail Nelson, Jannette Jackomsen, Donette Burns, Kay Wilding, LaRee Huffaker
Row2: Verda Edstrom, Ruth Winter, Mary Jean Rigby,Marie Brower, Ted Powell, Larry Jensen, Don Percival, Brent Hall, Gerald Taylor, Arliss Willmore, Mr. Willis Nelson, Mrs Lenore Bigler, Norval Bigler
Row3: Ronald Rigby, Brent Bell, Franchot Jensen, Tom Webster, Keith Hinkley, Garry Parkinson, Veral Hansen, Del Mar Hansen, Jack Wadddel, Melvin Ricks, Don Will, Douglas Swendsen, Darrell Henderson, Bert Trost

R4 25th 1978

Row 1: **Roberta LaFever, Kay Wlding**

Row2: **Mary Vollman, Bonnie Sellers, Sue Randall, Colleen Hill, Ann Weiser, Pat Topham, Carolyn Parkinson, Mary Jean Rigby**

Row3: **Darla England, Ruth Winter, Carol Welker, Sharon Parker, Marilyn Harris, Jannette Jackomson, Gail Nelson, Ila Jean Huskinson, Shelia Erickson, Garry Parkinson**

Row4: **Larry Jensen, Gerald Taylor, Brent Bell, Donald Fisher, Darrell Henderson, Garth Wilson, Franchot Jensen, Keith Hinckley, Brent Hall, Veral Hansen, Arliss Willmore.**

Willis G. Nelson

A summary of my experience in teaching and school administration and other related activities:

I graduated from Ricks college in 1933 with an associate degree in education.

I began teaching at the Edmunds Grade School in the fall 1934. In 1938 I was hired to teach in Rexburg at the Washington School in the sixth grade. From 1939 to 1942 I was teacher of the sixth grade and principal of the Adams School.

In 1942 I was elected Madison County Superintendent Schools and served there for one term.

In 1944 I was hired to teach seminary classes at Madison High School.
In 1945 I was transferred to the St Anthony Seminary where I taught until 1948.

In 1948-49 I attend the BYU. where I taught religion classes part time and I earned my B.S .Degree

I was Madison High School principal from 1950 to 1959 and then was hired as Superintendent of School s in Bear Lake County and served in that position until July of 1969.

In 1969 I was hired as Superintendent of the Bonneville School District #93 where I was employed until I retired in July 1975.

During my work in education I was also active in the L.D.S. Church in many positions as in scouting, M.I.A. dance director, ward and stake choir director, counselor in a bishopric, counselor in the stake presidency and counselor in the Idaho Falls Temple Presidency.

I now spend my winters in St George where I am active in the Temple View Motor Court activities.

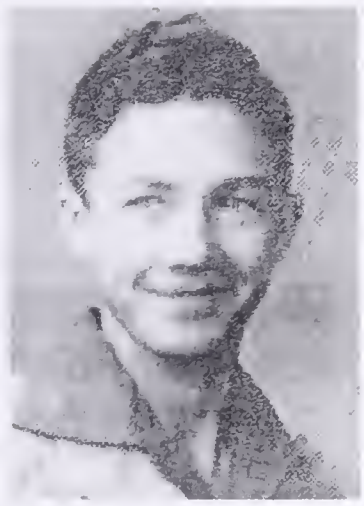
My wife passed away 11 years ago so I try to spend my time wisely on my hobbies: art, music woodwork and restoring antique furniture.

Norvel and Lenore Manwaring Bigler

"Lenore graduated from Madison High School in 1938, then went to Ricks College two years, then taught First and Second grades in Wilford, Idaho, then did bookkeeping for Utah Pomeroy Morrisson, then became a Wave in the Navy for two years, then taught Rexburg Junior High school for one year then taught at Madison High school one year, then got married and went to Utah Sta University three years, then back to Madison High school to teach for 29 years. Then retired in 1979. For 37 years I helped Norvallive a life of Frivolity on our country "estate." I have been in the Big City since 1997...50??? My vocation is helping Norval in his leisure retirement. My hobbies are beginning to wind down with Norval's."

"Norval graduated from St. Anthony High in 19371 then bummed for a year, then attended Ricks College for two years, then taught in Victor, Idaho, for one year, then was drafted into the Army Air Corps for three and a half years, then taught sixth grade in Rexburg, for ha a year, then taught Seventh grade a year, then got married and went to Utah State University for three years. Then to Madison High school to teach or 29 years, then retired i 1979. For 37 years I have lived a life of Frivolity with Lenore on our country "estate" Have been in the Big City since 1997...50? My vocation is leisure retirement. My hobbies are beginning to wind down.

WE GET THE MOST SATISFACTION FROM SITTING ON OUR FRONT PORCH WITH EACH OTHER WATCHING THE WORLD GO BY."



Richard Anderson

Albuquerque, New Mexico

Spouse: Shirley Hendricks (divorced)
Children: (3) Kirk, Tonya, Trena
Grandchildren (6)

Spouse: Marcia Ann Fernandez
Step-children: (3) Antonio, Miguel, Luis

It was on to Idaho State University following high school graduation, where I received my Bachelors of Science Degree in Chemistry. I then went to Corvallis, Oregon, for post-graduate school. I received my P.H.D. in Theoretical Organic Chemistry. While at Oregon State University I also obtained a second degree in Oceanography.

I have worked at the Sandia National Laboratory, which was the engineering arm of Nuclear Weapons program. We were associated with the Los Alamos and Lawrence Livermore Labs which did the physics phase of the programs. It was our job to attach the nuclear devices to the rockets, etc. to make sure they would go, were safe, and didn't go off before they should.

I retired 18 months ago, but still work part time for the Labs. Some of this work now can be done from my home.

Although I have made my home in Albuquerque since finishing school, my work has taken me to almost every country in Europe and Asia. For many years I was gone from home and outside of the U.S.A. for more than half of each year. But in spite of the travel required by my work, my wife and I still enjoy traveling at every chance we get. I am a hunter of all types of game, big or little and I also like to scuba dive.

Beth Anderson

Azusa, CA 91709

Not having had any response from Beth, this information came from her sister-in-law, Joan Anderson of Milwaukee, OR, by way of a telephone interview with Sharon Christensen..

Spouse: Warren Jordan (deceased)
Children: (2) Annette, Keith
Grandchildren: (4)
Great grandchildren: (1)

Beth, now being called by her first name, Ann, attended Utah State University following graduation from high school, where she obtained a degree in Dietetics. Then it was on to the Los Angeles area to serve an internship. It was there that she met her husband, Warren. They lived in El Monte, California, and Beth worked for a number of different hospitals, and nursing homes. Her husband was a therapist of some sort, maybe physical or occupational. He passed away about 12 years ago.

In spite of her bout with polio while in grade school, l which left one leg crippled, Ann continues to work and help people. She travels from one nursing home to another, assisting with the dietary menus for the patients. She suffers from attacks of painful post-polio syndrome at times.

She and her daughter now share a home together in southern California. She enjoys her family and supports the grandchildren in the things they are involved in.

Sharon Anderson (Archibald)

Sugar City, ID 83448

Spouse: Don Archibald (DECEASED)
Children: (2) Shawna, Kay
Grandchildren: (7)
Great-grandchildren (3) (1) on the way

The greatest thing that has happened to me since graduating from high school is to be a wife, mother, and grandmother. Nothing in the world is more important to me and it has kept me busy fulltime. Sugar City has been our home for the past 43 years.

As his occupation my husband was a millwright and worked at that for more that 40 years. Together we loved to dance. Another thing we have done and enjoyed with our family is camping and fishing.

We have a large yard which keeps me busy. Because of my love of growing flowers, you could call me a gardener. I also enjoy all kinds of needle work. Some of my other hobbies include cooking and baking. We enjoy spending time with our family and are happy with their accomplishments.

Shirley Anderson (nickname: Teeny)

Frederick, SD 57441

Email address:

My family consists of :
4 small dogs and 7 cats, all but one of which I brought with me by car from Florida. My brother, Gary Anderson, went to school in Rexburg, 5 years behind us, and some of my classmates may remember him.
Education:
AB in English 1971 University of Miami, Coral Gables, Florida
MS in Criminal Justice 1981 Nova University, Davie, Florida
Master Certified Coach 1999, International Coach Federation, Washington, DC

I left Rexburg in my senior year and moved to Denver to be with my family. I remember I went to Denver from Salt Lake City after we marched in the band in the big parade in July 24th. I actually graduated from high school in Denver, but Rexburg and Madison High have always held my favorite memories of growing up and making lifelong friends.
I moved to Minneapolis MN after high school and worked there for a couple years. Moved to Mexico MO to learn to fly small airplanes and work. Moved to Columbus OH to work and attend Ohio State University. Joined the Naval Air Reserve there and was trained as an Air Traffic Controller. Moved back to South Dakota to attend college fulltime at Northern State University in Aberdeen, and left in my senior year without graduating. Moved to Miami FL to become a flight attendant for Eastern Airlines in 1959. Quit flying when I got married in 1965, and worked in a variety of management positions at Eastern until the airline folded in 1991. I was able to take early retirement and moved into my second career in Criminal Justice. Worked for nonprofit agencies in Miami for 5 years and left to start my own executive coaching business, Coach Miami, Inc., in 1996. I am still actively Coaching. Moved to Frederick SD, my parents' home after the family left Rexburg/Denver, in August of 2002, after 43 happy, successful years in Miami. This is my third career and I've never been happier in my life. I am near my sister and her family, and life is very good. I plan to carry a small number of clients indefinitely. Since I work on the phone, I can take my business with me wherever I travel.
Hobbies:My pets, my sister's grandchildren :) and having a garden for the first time in my life.
Travel: Lots of travelling abroad; being recognized as a pioneer in personal and business Coaching, speaking and writing about coaching to international audiences. I host a free one-hour teleconference the first 3 Mondays of the month for coaches and people interested in coaching. It's called the Coaching Salon, and everyone is invited to tune in at 1pm Eastern time.
The phone number is 646-519-5860 PIN 2564#.

Gary Ard
Good Samaritan Center

Idaho Falls, ID 83401

Spouse: Lela Davis
Children: (0)

Gary had a stroke six years ago, is paralyzed on his right side and is unable to speak. This information was dictated by his wife via telephone to Sharon Christensen.

A few months before graduation, Gary quit school and enlisted in the Army where he served for two years. While in the Army he worked as a mechanic in the Motor Pool. After coming home he used the mechanic training he had received in the Army and opened his own business in Idaho Falls on Lindsay Boulevard which was called Gary's Truck and Auto Repair. He operated this business for 34 years until he was incapacitated by a stroke. At his business he not only fixed automobiles, but also fixed farm equipment and farm trucks. His younger brother, Tom, worked with him for many years.

In 1960 he married Lela Davis and they made their home in Idaho Falls. They have no children, but both have many nieces and nephews in the area who are good to do things for them.

Gary loved to race stock cars and often raced in competition at the Eastern Idaho State Fair in Blackfoot. Gary also participated in Demolition Derbies as well as raced snowmobiles. (Seems he liked to live in the "fast lane", doesn't it?) Many times he was involved in a derby or a race, not for personal reasons, but for charitable causes.

Lela said Gary was one who liked to play a good joke on someone. He always loved old people, was good to them, and helped them in whatever ways he could.

Gary's wife took care of him for as long as she could before she had to put him in a nursing home. She continued to live alone for a time until she got herself down to 64 pounds and had to go to the nursing home where she now shares a room with Gary.

Dean Barney

Nampa, ID 83687

Spouse: Bonnie Larson

Children: (4) Blake, Breck, Bart, Samee Dean
Grandchildren: (8)

I went to Ricks College for one and a half years following high school, and went on a mission for the church to the Southern States, serving mostly in Georgia and Florida. After my mission I was drafted into the Army and spent 13 months in Korea. It was our mission to clean up after the conflict was over.

After my discharge from the Army I began working for a chemical company as a supervisor of all salesmen who worked in 11 western states. We had a product line of more than 400 different products from cleaning supplies, to fertilizers, insecticides and anything in between. This work required me to travel and be away from home so much that I decided to quit. I began working in the insurance industry where I sell for about 15 different companies, depending on the needs of my clients. Enjoying what I do, I am not retired. Just tired! My philosophy is that it is better to earn money than to spend it, so I will continue to work and add to my already 23 years in the insurance industry.

We made our in Pocatello for 25 years, and just recently bought a home in Nampa. Still maintaining our home in Pocatello and I stay there when insurance business takes me to Eastern Idaho. We also spend time on our recreational property a Donnelly, Idaho, which is about 15 miles from McCall. I like to water ski, hunt and fish.

My health is good wouldn't you say. I have never spent a day of my life in the hospital or had an operation. We plan to serve a mission when I finally give up working and retire.

Carole E. Beattie Keele

Deceased Unknown Date

Carole Eve Keele, 35, died Wednesday at her home following a long illness. Mrs. Keele was born Dec. 25 1934 at Burton, the daughter of F. Theodore and Thelma Belnap Beattie. She attended Madison County Schools.

On June 1, 1954, she was married to Blair Hall in the Idaho Falls LDS temple. Her husband together with her brother, Brent Beattie, were drowned in a boating accident.

On Nov. 6, 1959 she was married to Robert Keele in Idaho Falls.

Surviving are widower and two children, Bryant Hall, 15, and Brenda Keele, age 6, also surviving are her parents, Mr. And Mrs. Theone Beattie of Burton; brothers Devann Beattie, Rexburg and Morgan Beattie of Burton, and a sister, Patricia Baldwin, Blackfoot.

A son Robert Keele preceded her in death.

Funeral services well be held at 1:30 p.m. Saturday from the Rexburg Seventh Ward LDS Church, Bishop Norman Nef officiating. Burial will be in the Burton Cemetery, under direction of the Flamm Funeral Home.

Friends may call at the Flamm Funeral Home from 7:30 to 9 p.m. Friday, and from noon to time of service at the Church.

Burial will be in the Burton Cemetery.

Brent Jack Bell

Rexburg Idaho 83440
E-mail

Married Karen Jensen, April 20th 1956. We lived in Rexburg for four years and Hibbard for forty-three years. We have six children; Michael Shayne, Shawna, Bryant Jack, Brett John (Rima Gould), Michelle (Blair Coates) and Sharla Kaye (Craig Ashby). We also have eight grandchildren: Justin Reed Bell, (Michelle Smith), Chance Austin Bell, (On mission to Ascuncion, Paraguay), EraLeigh Bell, and Timmerrie Bell, Chase George Coates, Phillip Trey Coats, Shon Craig Ashby and Ian Benjamin Ashby. We have two great-grandaughters: Brynn Marie Bell and Addison Grace Bell.

I attended Ricks College, last Jr. Class of 1956. I became a building contractor, and the owner of Bell Builders Supply Company. We ranch and raise Registered Aberdeen Angus cattle and Registered Quarter Horses. I like to fly fish, go boating, spend time at our cabin in Island Park, snowmobile, ride horses and work.

I have been active in many organizations in Rexburg; Cattleman Associate, Kiwanis Club, Rotary Club, College Booster Club, and the Chamber of Commerce. I am also into the Democratic Party politics.

I served as First Councilor and Second Councilor in Hibbard Ward Bishopbric for fifteen years, and was Bishop of the Ricks College Twenty-Eighth Ward for five years. I also served on the North Rexburg Stake High Council for eight years. I have been Young Men's President, Elders Quorum President, High Priest Leader, Teacher, Scout Master, and am presently Hibbard Fourth Ward Clerk.

We love to travel! We have traveled to Italy, England, Switzerland, Brazil, Mexico, Hawaii, Alaska, Caribbean, Jamaica, Santa Domingo, Costa Rica, and across the USA. We love to go to Montana with Keith and GayNell Hinckley!

Howard Biddulph

Dear Classmates: We thought that we would be able to attend the 50th reunion, but like the 40th we are again in Ukraine this year. After education at Madison, Ricks, BYU, and Indiana University, I taught Political Science at Rutgers University in New Jersey during the 1960s, and the same at University of Victoria in Canada during the 1970s, 1980s, and on to 1991, when we were called to open the mission in Ukraine. We have been unable to get Ukraine out of our system, ever since. Returning to teach at BYU, I have been involved in the Ukraine Program ever since. We did take one year off to teach in China. I taught international relations in Beijing at Foreign Affairs College.

Now that we are both officially retired we decided to accept the present opportunity. I teach religious freedom issues, American religions, and international relations at the National (Shevchenko) University, Mohyla University, and the Institute of International Relations in Kiev. I've presented several papers at conferences around Ukraine. We also enjoy many Ukrainians friends who became Latter-day Saints a decade ago when we were here on our mission. They are ready to be organized as a stake and to build a temple here. Our health is excellent, we are very happy, and plan to stay until December 2003.

Best Wishes to you all,

HOWARD BIDDULPH

SHARON BIRD HEMSLEY
Idaho Falls, ID 83402

Children: Debra, Kevin, Steven **Grandchildren:** 7
Great grandchildren: 3 **Divorced:** 1985

After High School I moved to Idaho Falls to room with a cousin and worked at Woolworth's for a short time and then moved back to Rexburg and was employed at First Security Bank as a bookkeeper and took night classes at Ricks College.

I married March 1954, we moved to Salt Lake City and I was employed at Walker Bank, had a baby daughter while in Salt Lake City. Move to Provo where I was employed at the Scout Office as a bookkeeper.

When we moved to Idaho Falls I had two sons and then stayed home for a while to raise my children. I worked part time keeping the books for a dairy. When my children were older I went back to work as an administrator in banking.

After retiring from banking I worked for one of my sons, who had started a Computer Technology Company in Idaho Falls. I worked a lot of hours to help him. This was really great for me, as I was able to learn more about computers than I already knew. Of course with my son owning this company I get all the free services I need or want which includes internet service. I am now retired and doing a lot of family research and histories on my computer and typing documents on occasion for a local Therapist.

During all these years I also took time to have fun. Every year for the past 30 some years I have gone to visit my sister, Janine in Los Angeles, CA. She has a Women's Wear in downtown Los Angeles. I help her in her store for one week and the next we play. We have taken many great trips and have done everything there is to do in California and had to start with Hawaii.

ROSS BOWEN

LAVERKIN, UTAH 84745

PHONE

WIFE: VIRGINIA

CHILDRENS NAMES: MICHEAL, GORDON, DEBORA AND KEVIN

8 GRANDCHILDREN

6 GREAT GRAND CHILDREN

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE

LIFE SKETCH SINCE HIGH SCHOOL:

I WORKED FOR JACK AND JEANS BAKERY IN IDAHO FALLS, IDAHO, THEN TO EDDY'S BAKERY IN OGDEN, UTAH WHERE I MANAGED AND COVERED ALL OF UTAH AND PARTS OF NEVADA AND WYOMING.
EDDY'S SOLD OUT TO INTERSTATE BAKERIES IN 1978 AT WHICH TIME I WAS TRANSFERRED TO BILLINGS MT. TO MANAGE THE NEW PLANT EMPLOYMENT OF OVER 400.

I COVERED ALL OF MONTANA, WYOMING AND PARTS OF WASHINGTON AND IDAHO.

I RETIRED IN 1997 AND MOVED TO LAVERKIN, UTAH. WHICH WE ENJOY VERY MUCH.

HOBBIES AND THINGS...LAWN WORK....GOLF. FISHING

WE HAVE TRAVELED TO MEXICO, HAWAII AND ALL OF THE WESTERN STATES.

Maxine Briggs

Rexburg, ID 83440

Spouse: Howard Hansen

Children: (2) Neil, Layne (deceased)
Grandchildren: (4)
Great-grandchildren: (1)

I married Howard Hansen after graduating from Madison High School. We made our home in Rexburg where our two sons were born. Howard was in a furniture business in Rexburg with his brother-in-law for many years. Eventually he sold his share in the business and we opened a furniture store in St. Anthony. I worked at the store and as well as kept the books.

Howard had developed diabetes and later had a serious of strokes which left him paralyzed on one side and unable to speak. I was told that he should be placed in a nursing home, but my son and I decided to take care of him and keep him at home. He passed away 21 years ago, in 1982. I continued to live in St. Anthony for a number of years. Eventually, we sold our furniture store and home there. My son, his wife and I bought a home in Rexburg which we share. It has been a pleasure to be close to and involved in the lives of my grandchildren.

While Howard was alive we took several trips together including Hawaii, Mexico City, Acapulco, and many of the U.S. states. I enjoyed our trip to Mexico City probably the most.

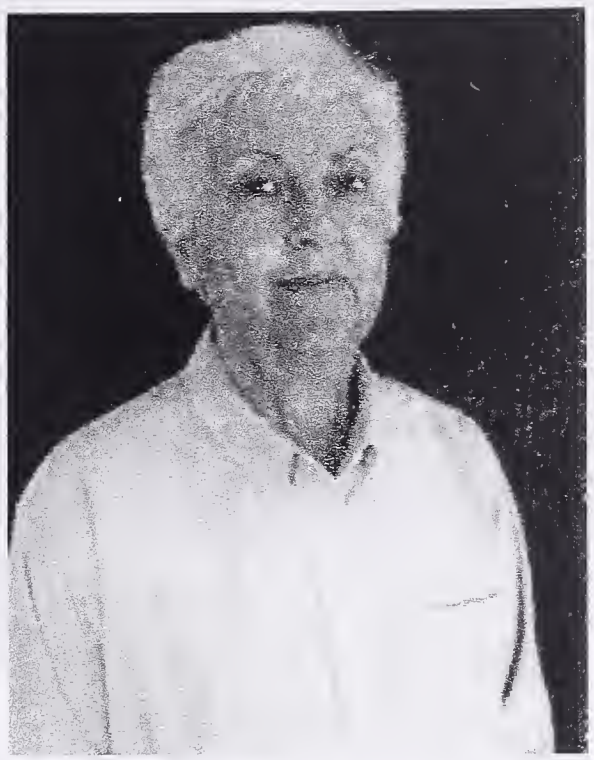
Having suffered with the disease, Lupus, for many years, I am not able to do many things that I once did. I am an active member in church and of the Daughters of Utah Pioneers where I have served as historian. As a matter of fact I have served as historian in my church ward, and also in Family History work. I love to do many things, but Temple Work is the dearest to my heart.

Marie Bower (Sommer)

Rexburg, Idaho 83440

Spouse: Reed Sommer
Children: (4) Steven, Laurel, Marcene, and Lane.
Grandchildren: 16
Great Grandchildren: 4

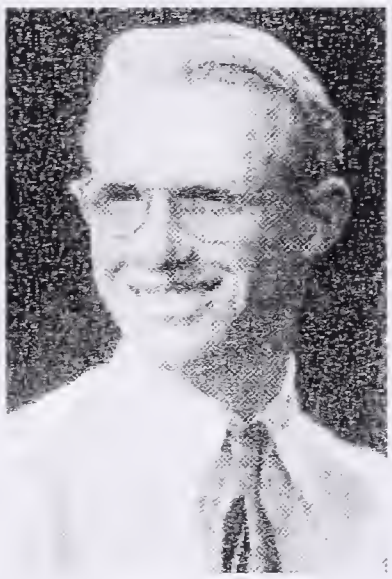
After we were married Reed was drafted into the Army. We spent the next two years at Fort Ord CA and Fort Lewis in Washington. We came home to Rexburg and purchased a home in Hibbard. We have lived there ever since.
Reed was a masonry contractor for aprox. 30 years.
He has been a Madison County Commissioner for 8 ½ years, with 1-½ years more to go on this term. We are both retired. I love to make quilts and raise flowers. We both enjoy yard work, camping, visiting children and grandchildren.
At this time in our lives we are thankful for good health, a good family, good friends and the blessing of being able to live in the best place in the world. (REXBURG, IDAHO)

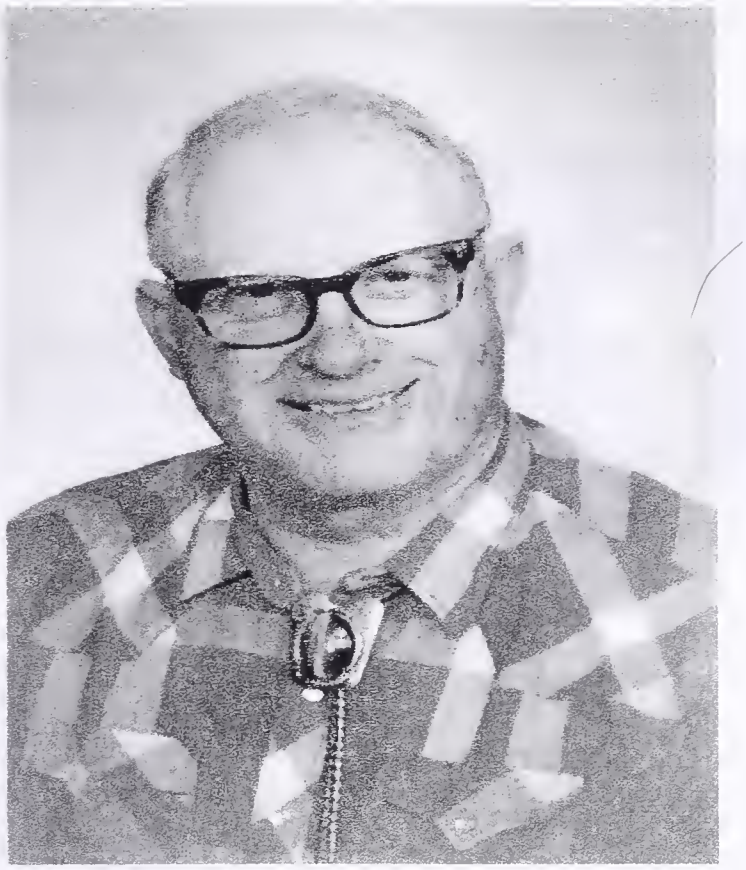


Donnetta Burns (Waddel)

TUCSON, AZ. 85742

Currently retired living in Tucson. Married Jack Waddel in 1956. We lived in Idaho Falls until 1965. We then moved to Carlin, Nevada where Jack was employed with Newmont Mining. In 1974 Jack was transferred to Tucson. After Jack's death I went to work for Newmont as a medical claims processor.
We have four sons: Leslie, Matt, Darin and Shane. Three live near me in Tucson and Matt in Cedar Hills Utah.
There are 11 grandchildren and 1 Great-granddaughter.
Since retiring I built a smaller home and enjoy spending time with family, friends, traveling, reading and sewing.





Theron Cheney
Hagerman ID 83331

Life after High School was very different for me. College looked beyond my reach but things changed and I enrolled at Ricks in the fall of 1953 with a major of Speech and Radio. Five quarters later I interrupted this schedule to fill a mission in the Great Lakes(Ohio, Indiana and Michigan). Upon my return my father went down with serious heart problems so I jumped in to support the family while he recovered and went to school to obtain a teaching degree.
I started working at J.C. Penney in St. Anthony , Idaho. Good things happen along the way though because here I met my wife and we married in June of 1959.
My Wife Valene Rodgers and I have three living children. Cody, Darrin, And Tamara.
After many struggles and hard work(I had been on the top ten selling list for our store size for over two years) we were transferred to the Idaho Falls store.Our baby Val Dee was only with us for 28 hours and passed away (same problem as the J. F. Kennedy baby ,diaphragm muscles didn't complete). Our third son Cody was born while we were in Idaho Falls. Allen Our first son had food and hearing problems
I was transferred to the Twin Falls store as a department manager or so I was told. Later I was informed that I was not nor ever would be a department manager because I had no college degree. The manager wanted to keep me where I was because I made him a big bonus every year.
We spent five years in Twin Falls. Two more children were born here, Darrin Lee and Tamara Sue. We went back to Idaho Falls and worked a year for State Farm insurance , While here I got employment with Tempo and was trained for one month in Idaho Falls and then sent to Moorhead Minnesota as the Soft lines manager for the tenth largest store in the company from there we were moved to Miles City, Montana.
I looked over all my options and decided to go back and get that coveted college degree. My choice changed because I decided that if I could help children that would also help our son with is hearing problems. My choice was to Speech therapy and Audiology. Dickenson State didn't offer any help in this area but Minot, North Dakota did so one quarter at Dickenson and on to Minot for an undergrad degree. We found a job in Bonners Ferry, Idaho as a speech therapist and started in January of 1973 Thank goodness for that second major ; I slid over into elementary education with a reading credential and taught for the balance of 19 years. My sight was never good but slipped and finally I had to take a disability and leave. We moved to Hagerman where we now reside.
We lost our oldest son March 4 of this year. We have ten grand children
The only time I had for a hobby was while in Twin Falls I joined and was with the chartering group of the Migichords barbershop chorus I was in two quartets but that was lost in the move.
My wife's poor health prevents me from coming since she is my driver. She has not bounced back since the loss of our oldest son in March.
I do look forward to getting the book this is in to see how well all of the rest of you have done.

May God Bless and help you. Theron

Twila Cheney (Williams)

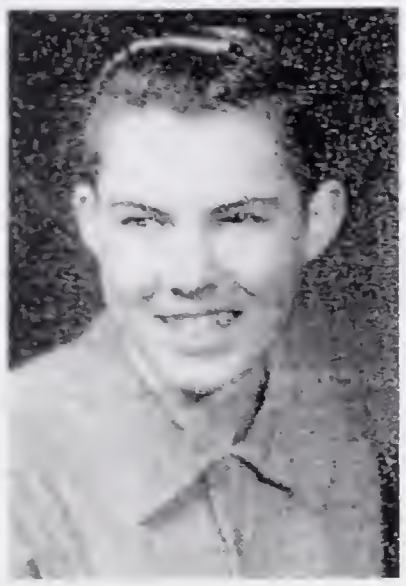
Taylor, AZ 85939
Phone:
Email:
Spouse: Lewis C. Williams
Children: Larry, Neal, Laura and Nathan
Grandchildren: 11
Great Grandchildren: 1
Life Sketch:

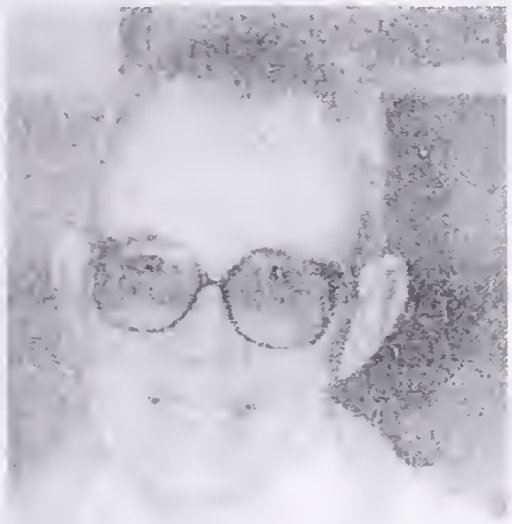
I attended Ricks College for 2 years, then on to USU where I earned a BS degree in Secondary Education in 1958, and a MS in Botany in 1960.

I married Lewis Williams from Phoenix, Arizona in 1959 and I taught Biology at Central High in Phoenix until I took on the role of Mother/Homemaker. We lived in Phoenix until 1970 and then moved to Taylor, Arizona where we have lived happily ever after.

I have been very involved in the LDS Church and have served in the Relief Society, MIA, Scouting (Silver Beaver recipient) and as a Temple worker in the Mesa Arizona, and Snowflake, Arizona Temples.

I enjoy good books, gardening, genealogy and my grandkids





Gary T. Christensen
Deceased April 18, 1997

Services for Gary T. Christensen, 62, of St. Anthony, who died Friday , April 18, 1997, at his St. Anthony home from a malignant brain tumor, were conducted Monday, April 21, 1997 at the St. Anthony LDS Stake Center by Bishop Evan Tibbitts.

Burial was at Fielding Memorial Park in Idaho Falls.

He was born Feb. 3, 1935, in Rexburg to Roy D. Christensen and Wilda Thompson Christensen. He attended Schools in Rexburg and graduated from Madison High School in 1953. After graduation, he enlisted in the Navy where he was assigned to a minesweeper. He was stationed in Japan and later trained at the Naval Reactor Facility at the Idaho National Engineering Laboratory. In 1959 he was seriously injured in an automobile accident near Rigby and was given a disability discharge.

He married Carolee Cunningham in Nampa June 1, 1963. They later divorced. He then married Niny Acevedo Retallick Aug. 1, 1994 in Rexburg. Their marriage was solemnized March 27, 1997 in the Idaho Fallls LDS Temple.

He lived in the West Yellowstone, Mont. Area for many years where he worked for the Forest Service as a forester in the Gallatin National Forest. At times he worked as a fire boss, traveling with crews to put our forest fires all over the West. He retired after 26 years of service and then was employed for Fall River Rural Electric as a meter reader. He retired Feb. 28 after 13 years.

He enjoyed the outdoors, hunting fishing, snowmobiling and other sports. He enjoyed spending time with all little children and always treated them as real people.

He served in many positions in Boy Scouting, including a position as assistant Scoutmaster. He was an active member of the LDS Church and served as a ward clerk, Sundays School counselor, home teacher and stake single adult leader. He was a High Priest at the time of his death. He was a devoted son, husband, father and grandfather, and enjoyed his association with his family.

He is survived by his wife of St. Anthony; his mother of Rexburg; Children, Gary Lee chirstensen of Boise and Joseph Roy Christensen of Bozeman, Mont. Siblings, Billy Christensen and Leon N. Christensen, both of Rexburg and Ronald D. Christensen and Dee Anne Skidmore, both of Spokane, Wash.

Diane Clements (Winn)

West Provo, UT. 84601

Spouse: Ray Dar Winn Ray was from Price UT.
We were married Sept 1957 in the SLC Temple.
How we met: We were living in California and Ray was on a mission there. My Mom was a fabulous cook and the missionaries always were invited to dinner. Ray really liked moms food and took a liking to me.

Children: (5) Jay, Todd, Jon, Lorna and Carol.
Grandchildren: (22)
I attended Ricks College and BYU.
After College I was married. After the youngest one left the nest I had a day care center.
Now I'm enjoying our grandchildren.
We have lived in Rexburg, Idaho Falls, California, Texas, Seattle WA.
We have been on two missions. Philippines and a work mission to Washington State working with the LDS camps in the mountains near Yakima WA. We moved to Provo and that is where we are settled down.
We are now retired and live close to our family and grandchildren. We enjoy the time of getting together.
Hobbies: I do needle work. Crocheting, and knitting.
We are very happy and content.

Aubrey Lillowene Clemons
Deceased in 1984

The information that follows was contributed by Lillowene's Cousins Pearl Clemons & Roberta La Fevre.

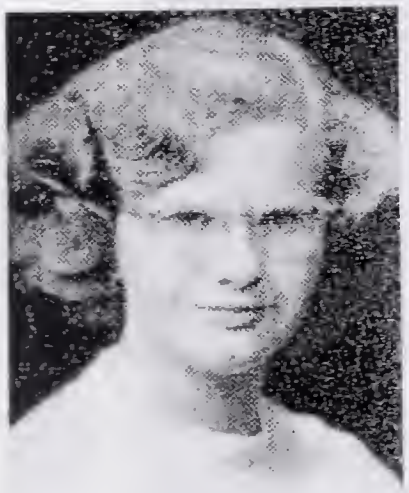
Lillowene Clemons who was loved by her family and liked to be call Lill. Her laugh made people who knew her want to laugh too. She loved a good story or joke. She worked as a waitress in Idaho Falls and Pendleton Oregon. She met and married Cecil Weyer. They had two children while living in Reno Nevada where Cecil worked in a casino. Lill was a stay at home mom during this time. They had problems and were divorced. She later met and married Robert Collins. The lived in Saugus Calif. A daughter Kimberely blessed this union. Robert adopted her children from her previous marriage. Lill worked a number of years in a munitions factory. She developed emphysema and received a medical retirement. She was on oxygen and suffered greatly. The last visit to Rexburg she could hardly get around because of the difficulty of breathing. Especially at the higher altitude. Her sense of fun and laugh rang out even when breathing was so difficult.
She passed away at age 50

Viola Roberta Clemons

Deceased (Unknown Date)

The information that follows was contributed by Viola's Cousins Pearl Clemons & Roberta La Fevre.

Viola Roberta Clemons Schmerhorn Hoskins was a fun person to be around. She moved around after HS graduation, first to Idaho Falls, where she worked as a waitress. She moved to Pendleton Oregon where she worked as a waitress for about a year and a half. While living in Pendleton she shared an apartment with her sister Lillowene. She met and married Richard Schmerhorn. They lived in Elko Nevada where they started their family. They had a set of twins, a boy and a girl. The daughter passed away soon after birth. In all they had five children, As her children grew older she worked as a waitress. She was very proud of her tips that she received as she was a good waitress. They spent a time in Tacoma Washington. They moved to Oxnard California. Viola worked as a waitress in a Munitions Factory. She and Richard divorced. She returned to Rexburg then returned to California. She met and married a Mr. Hoskins. They were later divorced. The last few years of her life she suffered with emphysema and was on disability from the Munitions Factory. She passed away while living in Truth or Concenquence New Mexico at the home of her daughter Stephanie.

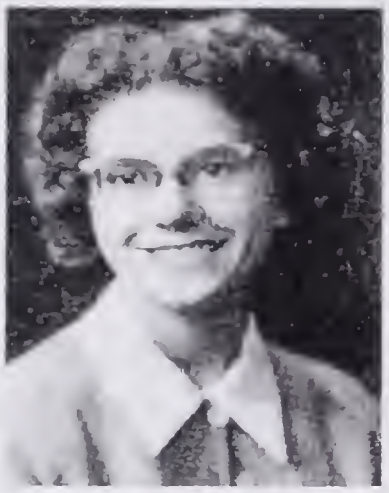


Pearl Clemons (Galbraith)

Blackfoot Idaho 83221

After graduation, Ralph and I lived in Rexburg until 1961. We had 4 children during this time. I was a busy stay at home mom. We moved to Blackfoot where we built a home in 1965. I drove many nails to help finish the house. My children finished growing up while we lived there. I participated in teaching Primary, Relief Society, Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts and 4-H clubs.

In 1972 I went back to school and became a nurse. I loved being a nurse. I worked part-time at Bingham Memorial Hospital. I worked at State Hospital South for 24 years, retiring in 1996. I now go to school at Ridge Cress Elementary, where I am a Foster Grandparent to all the children. I help them with Reading and Math, it is great fun. I still love to read and do crocheting, painting, sewing and also gardening. Life is great!



Joan Cluff (Jeppson)

Sugar City, Idaho 83448

Married Gerald W. Jeppson of Rexburg on Apr. 2, 1953, in the Idaho Falls Temple.
We have (5) children: Gerald, Melvin, John, Marianne, and Joseph.
We have (17) wonderful grandchildren.

My husband, Gerald worked in public education as teacher, guidance counselor and administrator in St. Anthony, Sugar City, and Rigby districts.

Home has been Sugar City all our married life with years in Salt Lake and Portland for graduate study.

I have enjoyed being a full time mother, working in later years as secretary for a diet center franchise owner, insurance company and for Engineering and Technology division at Ricks College.
I left my position at Ricks when my husband and I were called to serve an 18 month mission in Athens, Greece. Service in the Church has included many positions in Primary, relief Society, Cub Scouts and young Women. My husband and I are presently ordinance workers in the Idaho Falls Temple. We serve as Family History missionaries at the BYU center and are still in Scouting as committee and advancement chairmen.

We have enjoyed traveling throughout the USA including Hawaii, Canada, Switzerland, France, Greece, Italy and Turkey.

Sorry we couldn't be with you at the reunion, I recently had a hip replaced.

Collen Cook (Biddulph)

Since graduation, besides being mother to five children, I have spent many years as a school teacher. I taught in Utah, New Jersey, and British Columbia. In recent years I taught English for a year in China, then finished my teaching in Orem, Utah as an art teacher to all grades. I retired one year ago, but not really.

We spent three years opening the L.D.S. Mission in Ukraine, and loved the work and the people very much, so we decided to continue to work there. At present we are spending a year here in Kiev as public affairs missionaries for Brigham Young University, and representing the Church as well.

I love what I am doing. I teach English through art and music to upper grades of a fine school . I also teach English to directors of a religious institute through the study of THE NEW TESTAMENT. During summers I help Howard with B.Y.U. students who come here for study and service abroad. This is the fourth summer we have done this.

I often travel to other cities with Howard to present papers for religious conferences.

We enjoy twelve grandchildren. I continue to publish in various magazines and poetry anthologies, and lend my love of music for the Church. I love being Provo Temple organist and ward organist back home in Provo. Here in the mission field one also gets many opportunities for musical service.

It is wonderful to see our grandchildren go on missions and get married.

We think fondly of our friends back in the Madison High School years.

Colleen Cook Biddulph

Janis Marlene Eck Peterson
Telephone:
Husband: Dr. Rex H. Peterson, EdD, LTC (USA Ret.)

Rex & I have 8 children, Bradley, Zina Peterson, Bruce, Janis Maxfield, Mitchell, Tammara Speth, Michelle (deceased), and Regina Lopilato. We have 22 grandchildren & 15 great-grandchildren.

Rex & I have been married for 42 wonderful years. He was in the Army and retired after 24 years service. During that time we lived in Idaho, Washington, Virginia, California, Texas, Indiana, and Alabama, (some of them more than once). We have traveled through all of the U.S. with the exception of 7 New England states & Alaska. We have also traveled throughout Mexico and Canada.

I have completed two associate degrees and a paramedical degree, graduating with honors in all three. I worked in the medical profession for many years until health problems dictated a change. I worked for an insurance company and a community college until my husband retired from the military. Subsequent to retirement, we served a mission in Bulgaria for the LDS Church. What an awesome experience.

My hobbies are photography, genealogy, scrap-booking, and traveling. We live in our large 5th wheel RV pulled by our Freightliner. We have traveled to many places in Europe, (England, France, Germany, Austria & the Netherlands), but nowhere in the world can compare to the good old USA.

I wish I could be with all of you, but, circumstances are beyond my control.

Name: Verda Edstrom Willyerd
Address:
Telephone:
E-mail:
Spouse: Robert (Bob) Willyerd
Children: Kevin Willyerd, Susan Crego, Bradley Willyerd, Linda Mitchell, Rodney Willyerd, Brett Willyerd
Grandchildren: nineteen
Education: I attended Ricks College for one year
After Graduation: I started working for Browning Auto in Idaho Falls as a secretary, then as a bookkeeper. I got married February 1957 and continued working until September when we went to Fort Leonardwood, Missouri for military training. We returned to Rexburg in December where Bob continued at Ricks. Our first son, Kevin, was born at Madison Memorial. When he graduated we moved to Logan, Utah where he attended Utah State University and I worked at Thiokol Chemical. Our second child, Susan, was born in Logan. After graduation Bob went to work for the Atomic Energy Commission and we spent time in Washington D. C. for orientation. We returned to Idaho Falls for awhile then were transferred to Kansas City, Missouri. Our third child, Bradley was born in Kansan City. It was interesting there as we were always on the lookout for tornadoes. Our next area of employment was in Oak Ridge, Tennessee. We enjoyed our stay there so much that we decided to build a home. The children started school. We were introduced to humidity while there. After moving into our new home Bob was called to work in Washington, D.C. We moved to Rockville, Maryland, a suburb of D.C. Bob went to work and I attempted to acclimate myself to suburban living. Linda, Rodney and Brett were born in Maryland.
So much has happened in the country since we arrived here in 1966. We claim this as home for 37 years minus one year in Idaho, 1975-76. We were there when the Teton Dam flooded the valley. We were living in Idaho Falls and were able to help in the clean-up. We were glad we were there because communication would have been impossible.
Bob retired from The Department of Energy and after awhile we got a truck and 5th wheel and have traveled in the U.S. We enjoy our life here-working in the Washington DC temple and definitely enjoy company coming who usually see more than we have living here all this time. We have beautiful spring weather with flowering trees and shrubs, such as azaleas. Cherry blossoms on the tidal basin near the Lincoln Memorial look like a snowstorm in April. Our family calls this home.

Dennis Emery

Casper, WY 82604

I have fond memories of Rexburg and the Madison High Class of 1953
Hunting Jack Rabbits was great where BYU Idaho is now located.

After Graduation I married Viona Burrell, Together we worked at Covey's Little America in Wyoming. I then moved back to Idaho where I worked at Rexburg Food Center for a short time. Then moved on to Idaho Falls and worked for Albertson's, Then transferred to Pocatello.
Viona and I had 3 Children: Cindy, George and Scott.
We were divorced.

Being at loose ends, I took a job with an old store director from Albertson that had opened a new store in Palmer AK. This is where I met and married Barbara Bentti, and this must have caused the big earthquake in Alaska.

We stayed in Alaska until 1979 and had 4 children: Ida, Darla, Benjamin and Aaron.

I now live in Casper Wyoming, where I have retired, almost, from cutting meat. do work part-time for a local game processor in town.

Not wanting to set around doing nothing I'm out fishing on Alcova in my boat. With Barbara we are merchandising a new product called "SeaSilver", a liquid vitamin. This keeps me busy and off the streets.

Hope that all of you are doing well, looking forward to reading about the rest of the "Glorious Classmates of 1953"

Name: Donald Verl Fisher
Darla (England) Fisher
Address:
Rupert, ID 83350
Phone:

Names of Children: Donald Bruce, John Dee, Dallen E & Cindy (twins)
Number of Grandchildren: 11
Number of Great-Grandchildren: 3
Education: Don...Ricks College.....Darla...ExCelCis Beauty College

Brief life sketch: We were married in August the same year we graduated, and therefore will also be celebrating our 50th Wedding Anniversary this year. After some schooling and working in Alaska for awhile, Don worked for several grocery associations, we bought a grocery store in Rupert where all of our children graduated from High School.

After our sons returned from their missions, we sold our store and served several missions and worked in the Temple. Eventually Don needed to go back to work. After working at a local Mortuary for a few years and serving as a deputy coroner, Don ran for Minidoka County Coroner, an office that he still holds. He also works as an "Office Manager" for a local doctor.

Darla has worked as a Beautician and also as a Dental Assistant, but has spent most of her time being a wife, mother and homemaker.

We have both held numerous church callings.

Places we have lived: Rexburg, St. Anthony, Ashton, Anchorage (Alaska), Idaho Falls, Burley, Twin Falls, Baker (Oregon), Rupert, Adelaide Australia (Mission) Boise (3 year full time mission) Johannesburg South Africa (Temple Mission)

Hobbies: Darla: sewing, cooking, & reading
Don: gardening, gemstones & silversmithing, spinning, & fishing

Special things we have done: Being privileged to visit with Gordon B. Hinckley when he set Don apart as a Temple Sealer, and then for Don to officiate at our oldest granddaughter's marriage and sealing and also at the sealing of our son's 3 adopted children.

We have done a lot of traveling besides in the countries we served missions in. We have been to about ½ of the US States, Canada, Mexico, Central America, nearly all of the South American countries, Hong Kong, Vietnam, Cambodia and extensively in Thailand. Don worked for the US Embassy in Bangkok for a time as a consultant when they were having some problems with their commissary and cafeterias.

SHEILA ERICKSON BARNEY
Rexburg, ID 83440

Spouse - Moses Dell Barney
Children - 6 - Dell Ray, Douglas, Doyle, LaMae, Gaylene, Wendy (deceased)
Grandchildren - 18 **Great grandchildren** - 12 & 4 due.
School - 10th
Since High School - Farming & Dairying
Lived since school - East of Rexburg on Barney Dairy Road.
Profession & retirement - We are retired, but still farm, have sold the cows after milking for 49 years.
Hobbies - Making quilts, reading, and being Grandma.
Interesting places & things I have done - Going to the World's largest draft horse sales. Taking a trip to New Jersey to visit a grandson. We toured Pennsylvania, Washington DC and New York. Also visited Ellis Island where my grandfather entered this country. The Great Lady in the bay was breath taking. What a great country we live in! Home is still the best place of all.

Virginia Evans (Fry)

Stanley, Idaho 83278

Spouse: Wayne Fry
Children: (5) by my first husband, Roy Jeppesen.
Roy, Garry, Brett, Peggy and Grant (deceased).
Grand Children: (16) grandchildren and (1) step-grandson.
Great Grandchildren: (1)

I married Roy Jeppesen in 1953. We had 5 children.
We lived in Rexburg until 1977, and then Divorced.
I married Wayne Fry of St. Anthony.We have been married for 25 years.
We then moved to St. Anthony.
We lived in St.Anthony until 1990 and then moved to Stanley Idaho.
We are retired. I enjoy life to the fullest. Still learning new things as I go along.
We have a wonderful family. Couldn't ask for anything more.
That's all I can say. Just short and sweet.

Claire Fullmer (Webb)
Salt Lake UT 84123

Imagine 50 years since we graduated high school and all went our separate ways. It's so fun to go back in time and remember all the fun times. Life was fun then and still is.

After attending beauty school and acquiring a profession, the world was mine. Went to BYU for a couple years then decided to go, with some friends, to Hawaii and work. Single girls heaven, with 6 men to 1 girl. We all achieved our MRS. within the next 2 years. My achievement answers to the name of Jack R. Webb and is a big part of my life, since he is the father of my children.

We moved from Hawaii to Spokane, Wash. and started our new life with a home and a family. Jack was a salesman and so we moved a lot, which was a great experience. First we went to Seattle, then to Anaheim, Calif., back to Kent, Wash., then to San Antonio, Texas. Loved Texas!!! In a grocery store you could talk to people at the check-out stand and be invited to 3 barbacues and a goat rop'in before you left the store. Then back to Salt Lake City, Utah. Great friends were made all along the way, but we'll never forget the best friends of all, at Madison High School.

Jack and I are both still working as sales people and still happy. We work half day and golf the other half. We took a trip to England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales a few years ago, just to play golf. It was fun, but we'll stick to USA courses.

We have 4 children and have decided not to have anymore. The grandchildren seem to fill right in. Life is good and seems to get better. We figure "if you sit around, you rust" so we keep moving forward (no option on that). Thank goodness we still can. Love to all.

50 years of; Some chances,few regrets, many accomplishments, and not over yet!!!!!!

Garold Galbraith

St. George, UT 84790

Spouse: Helen Horuchi

Children: (8) Herb, Leila, Garold Jr., Timothy, Darren, Joel Dee (deceased), Norman, Cameron
Grandchildren: (18)
Great-grandchildren: (2)

I quit High School after my Freshman Year and went to work in the spud pits. Between 1953 and 1955 I was in the Army, after which I went back to Rexburg and worked up on the dry farms for Mr. Parkinson. I met my wife, who was from Hawaii, while she was attending Ricks College. After our marriage we moved to Provo for her to finish school and get her teaching degree. We bought our home in Payson. I went to Utah Technological School and was educated in auto mechanics. I have worked all around Utah Valley at this trade. I got my High School GED in 1957 through BYU and the military, but it was from the Madison County Schools.

One summer we went to Hawaii and worked for her parents in a pineapple factory. We have crossed between the mainland and Hawaii many times as we have moved back and forth, living there for a while and then in Utah for a while. Once we spent eight years in Hawaii where I worked for the Hawaii Highway Department. We returned in 1991 and I began working for the L.D.S. Church as a custodian. In 1995 we again went to Hawaii for a son's wedding and it took us two years to get back home. I worked there during that time as a church custodian also. We then moved to Nephi where we lived for the next seven years. On May 15th of this year we sold our home in Payson, which we have always maintained, and moved to St. George, Utah.

Hawaii was not a vacation place for me. I had to get up every morning and go to work just like anyone else. My wife and I served as Stake Cannery Coordinators while living in Nephi.

Margaret Goodliffe (Cutler)

South Draper UT 84020

I married Douglas Lynn Cutler.
We have seven children- Debra, Kevin, Gayle, Douglas, Steven, Ann, Colleen.
We have 22 ½ grandchildren.
After finishing High School I had a year of College.
We have lived in Rexburg, Ogden, UT., Provo UT., Salt Lake City and Draper Ut.
I was a Dental assistant and mother (domestic engineer)
My hobbies are collecting Thimbles, Scrap Booking, Family Records and Histories.
Some of the interesting places I have been are Israel, Aman Jordan, TelAviv, Tahati, Canada and many of the United States.
Of my seven children 3 are Eagle Scouts, 3 Missionaries, 5 College Graduates and I have one foster child.
My husband was a Bishop for 6 ½ years. We are Famous for Cutler Corn in Salt Lake Valley.
We have built and lived in three homes.
/we served a mission to New York Utica .. assigned to Massena NY.
I have spent my life nurturing and loving my husband and children.
I am a very happy person…

Brent Hall

I graduated from Madison High with the class of '53.. I married Nola Sellers from Rigby who was then, and still is my sweetheart I was accepted and began working at EBR II. I retired after 35 years at the school. It was A great job when I started but it's not nearly as good today as it was then. We have 3 children, Sherri (Rexburg), Craig (Rexburg), and Nicole (Sugar City). There are 7 Grandchildren- 4 boys and 3 girls. We are kept busy going to sporting events and other activities. but would have it no other way. We have done some traveling during our life together. We have been to Hawaii, Boston, Martha's vineyard and all over Ohio. we have visited a large part of Michigan as well as many areas of Utah and Arizona, California, where I made a discovery, I can ride any ride my grand kids can, as well as many they won't. We have also been to Canada. We have been to Branson MO. several times. but of all the places I have seen I still prefer my little piece of Idaho, although central and Northern Idaho are beautiful Church has been a big part of my life. I served in two Bishoprics and am at present in the ward High Priest group leadership. 7 years as stake clerk. My major vice(hobby) is I am a model railroader. This hobby gives me many hours of pleasure as well helps me to keep my interest in rail road things currant. We have lived Burton since 1964 and do not for see any great changes in the near future.

Delmar Hansen

Brigham City UT. 84902

Spouse Dorothy (Harwood)

I met Dorothy while on my mission in Western Canada, She was Only 19 at the time. They made a special allowance for her to go within Canada where she is from.

Children: (3) Christine, Timothy and Harold.

Grandchildren: (9)

After graduation I attended Ricks College. Then served a mission to Western Canada from 1954-1956.

I have lived in Rexburg and worked in First Security Bank then was hired by Harsh Perkins Engineering. I was transferred to Pocatello ID. From there we moved to Soda Springs where Dorothy had a Flower Shop. Then on to Evanston WY. For a survey team. I had received survey training from the engineering jobs. I worked as a sub contractor to AMOCO oil patch.

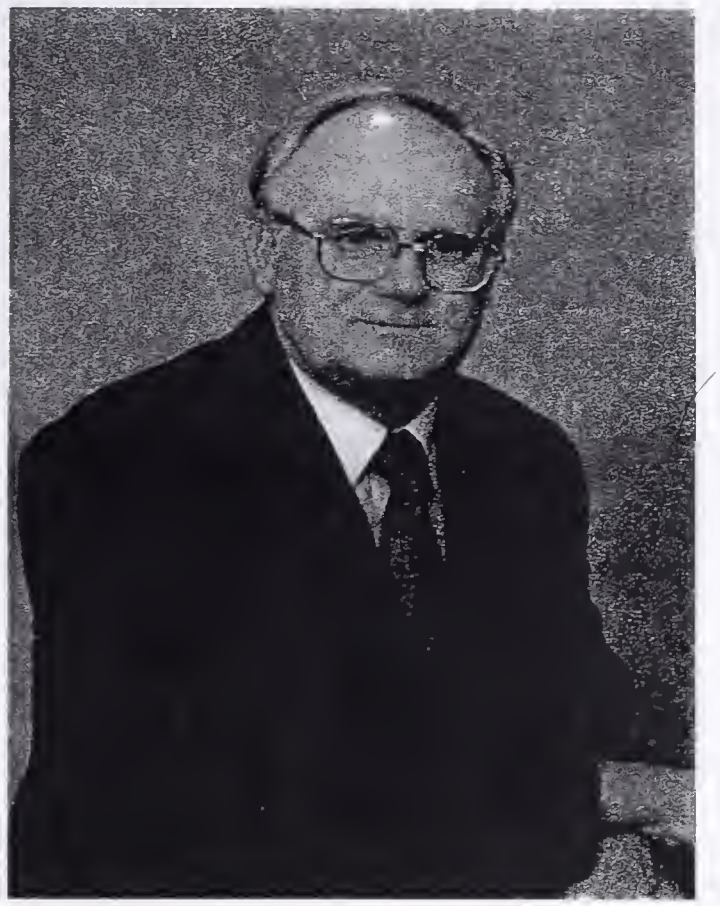
After that we decided to move to Brigham City to be close to family. My mother is still alive and lives in the Logan area. I currently work for the Dept. of Work Force in Brigham City.

I have been in four-stake presidency's 5 and ½ years working in the Ogden Temple where Dorothy and I did the scheduling of workers using computers.

I am now serving as a Bishop of our ward.

Hobbies: Woodwork and cabinet making.

We are very busy but happy with our callings.



Vearl L. Hansen

Rexburg Idaho 83440

I married Loa Lee in 1955
We have four children: Clinton Lee, Christopher, Clifford Vearl and Clark K.
We have three grandchildren and two step-grandchildren.
No great grandchildren as yet.

I never moved away from the Rexburg area although I have worked on projects in several states.
After high school I became a farmer and farmed in the Hibbard and Burton areas.
Our youngest son now operates our farmland.
I worked for the Argonne National Laboratories at the INEL for 24 or so years as a maintenance supervisor. I also worked as a project manager in power plants and can plants in California, Idaho and in the oil fields in Wyoming. I'm a licensed electrician with a contractor's license. I'm partially retired but still dabble a bit as an electrician.
We still live in Burton on the farm where we enjoy the sunrise, sunset and our children and grandchildren.
We've traveled quite a bit in the United States, Canada and Puerto Rico.
We love our home and camping in the mountains with our 5th wheel.
WE LOVE IDAHO.

ELMA JEAN HANSEN SMITH

Idaho Falls, Id. 83406

After graduating from High School I attended the Idaho Falls Business College, where I met my husband.

I married Glenn LaMar Smith on August 19, 1955, in the Idaho Falls L.D.S. Temple. We moved into an apartment in Ammon, where we lived untii 1963 when we built our home on the foothills east of Ammon. We have lived there since.

We have eight children, six girls and two boys. We have thirteen grandchildren, seven boys and six girls.

I worked in a fabric store for ten years and then I sewed draperies for five years, until I quit working in 1995 because of a bad back.

I enjoy sewing, handwork of all kinds, and camping.

My husband retired in 1999 and we are enjoying retirement.

Marilyn Harris Wilson
Deceased October 17, 1980

Marilyn Harris Wilson, 45, of Boise a former Rexburg resident died Saturday October 17, 1980 in an automobile accident near Fairfield.

Marilyn was born to Shorland and Erma Harris May 26, 1935 in Rexburg.

She attended Madison High School and graduated from Blackfoot High School.

She was active as a cheerleader, radio broadcaster and was active in musical productions.

She married Garth Wilson March 1, 1961 in Rexburg, Their marriage was later solemnized in the Oakland, Calif., LDS Temple.

She was an active member of the LDS Church. She worked as a legal secretary for Moffatt and Thomas in Boise.

Survivors include her husband, Garth Wilson, of Boise; one son, Steven Michael Wilson who is currently serving and LDS mission in Australia; four daughters Suzanne Wuttke, Melody Wilson, Katie June Wilson and Wanda Lynn Wilson of Boise, Idaho; Her parents of Rexburg and one grandchild

Preceding her in death were her sister June and brother Doyle And her infant triplet sons, Bob, Brad and Bruce who died shortly after birth in 1965.

NAME; Marsha Hegsted Heinz

ADDRESS; [redacted] Lakeside Lodge Lane, Island Park, Idaho 83429

TELEPHONE; [redacted]

Email; [redacted]

SPOUSE; Don J Heinz

NAMES OF CHILDREN; Jacque, Grant, Stephanie, Karen, Ramona, Amy

NUMBER OF GRANDCHILDREN; 7

EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT; Two quarters at Ricks College, Secretary at Taylor Chevrolet, Secretary for County Attorney, Stay at home mother to six children, piano teacher.

PLACES YOU HAVE LIVED; Logan, Utah and Lansing Michigan for husband's schooling; Kailua, Hawaii for 34 years; and Manila, Philippines, and Nauvoo, Illinois, while serving on missions.

PLACES TRAVELED AND THINGS DONE; We have traveled to Fiji, New Zealand, Australia, Ireland, England, Germany, Switzerland, Denmark, France, Egypt, Saudi Arabia, Jordan, Alaska and many other states in the US visiting children and accompanying husband on business trips. We served an 18 month mission in the Manila Philippine Temple, and a 6 month mission in the Nauvoo Temple during open house, dedication, and first months of operation.

DARRELL HENDERSON
, Rexburg, Idaho 83440

Email

Spouse: Joan Henderson

Children: Carrie, Paul, Colette, Gerald, Richard,Daron, Mark, & Jane

Number of Grandchildren: 17

Education: B.S. Elementary Education

Upon graduating from the College of Southern Utah in Cedar City, I started Teaching in Murray, Utah for 3 years & then in Jordan School District for 9 years.

At that time in our life we were searching for a more adequate way to support our Family (currently 7 children), when my parents requested that we returned to Rexburg and take over the family business (auto parts) so they could retire. We did that for 16 years. During that time our daughter, Jane was born

We then sold the business & I returned to teaching at the Madison Middle School For 10 years. We then retired and served a mission in Virginia for 18 months.

I was called as Bishop of our Ward for 6 years and had various other Church callings. Joan has served as Relief & Primary President among other callings.

I served as a scoutmaster for 10 years with our 5 boys in the program, all receiving Their Eagles. The many hikes scoutcamps and other activities were especially memorable.

Another experience I had with two of our boys was coaching Cross Country at Madison High School for 3 years. STATE CHAMPS!

Our retirement is centered around volunteering for me in our daughter, Carrie's 5th grade class and at the Cannery. Joan does photography and scrapbooks. We also love gardening, reading, and traveling to visit family.

Cheron Hendricks

Payson, UT 84651

Spouse: Edwin Hodgson (divorced) (deceased)
Children: (8) Ruth, Kay, Nola Rae, John, Teresa, Nile, Bert, Clayton
Grandchildren: (39)
Great grandchildren: (12)

I decided to leave Rexburg following high school graduation and went to Salt Lake After being there for a year, I decided that I was not ready for the big city and came home to Hibbard for a year. After making some determinations I again went back t Lake and worked there for three years before marrying Edwin Hodgson. We made c home in Grantsville, Utah, where my husband was raised. Our first five children we only a year apart, so I was a very busy mother and housewife. After three more chil and 20 years of marriage, my husband and I were divorced and I returned to Idaho v my younger children. I found work at the potato processors and lived in Rigby for a nine years.

Much of the work in the processing plants began to be mechanized and many people were laid off and I was a victim of the labor cut. My youngest son and I decided to back to Utah, and settled in Orem, Utah, where I supported myself be doing housekeeping and laundry work. Deciding that I could do that kind of work just as v with an education as without, I decided to go back to school and see what having an education might do for me.

I graduated from B.Y.U. with a Bachelor's Degree in English. My desire was to do technical writing. At present, I spend my days as a part-time employee for the Unit National Forest Service doing research (in the lower chambers of the B.Y.U. library locating such things as mines, trails, waterways, homesteads, limestone kilns, etc., t may yet be or once were located on Uinta National Forest Lands. My work is direct the forest service archeologist. Having learned to use the computer, I spend a day o now and then in the office typing up my findings.

My son, Clayton, his wife, family and I now share a home in Payson, Utah, and get great together. When I am not out walking (for health's sake), I knit baby afghans f grandchildren and pacify my passion for reading. I also stay active in church.

Colleen Hill (Winn)

Rexburg, Idaho 83440

Married Dale Winn in 1956. We moved to Provo, Ut. Where he graduated from BYU in agronomy. His first job w Madras, Oregon where we lived for one year .This was a new experience for me, because it was the first time I ha lived in a predominately LDS community. After one year we moved to Twin Falls, Idaho where we lived for 7 ye then Dale's job took us to Salt Lake. We lived out in the Bennion area for the next 7 years and then in 1973, Dale hired as the manager at Madison Coop here in Rexburg.

Colleen retired 5 years ago and after working for 15 years at the Ricks College Bookstore, first as the secretary there and later as the general book buyer, I retired 2 years ago. I loved working at Ricks because of t people I worked with and the students I was able to interact with.

We have been blessed with 6 children. Our oldest, Sherri, lives in Divide, Colorado (which is near Colorado Spri Robert and his family live in Marquette, Michigan. We have two children, Jana & Steve living in Bountiful, Utah youngest son, David, lives in Pocatello and our last daughter, Kodie, lives in Boise. We have also been blessed w grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren.

We have had the opportunity to visit Costa Rica on two separate occasions, once when our son, Dave was released from his mission and then again with Dave and his wife. Then in 1999, we went on a tour to Branson Missouri, an really enjoyed that. We are looking forward to the time when we can serve a mission together but are currently involved in the care of my mother and also a little grandson. Life has been good and I am looking forward to doing little traveling and having a little leisure time. (Isn't that what retirement is supposed to be about?)

We enjoy gardening and with three acres to keep up, we get to do plenty of that. We also playa little golf just for fu and try to stay fit by exercising up at the college early each morning. I am really looking forward to seeing a lot of classmates at our 50th reunion. Hope to see you there.

JOAN HILL SUMMERS

Spouse - Ross Summers **Children** - 2 girls - Terrie Powell (Mesa, AZ) & Sandra Jensen (Pocatello) - 2 boys - Kit Summers (Driggs) & Brett Summers (Rexburg)
Grandchildren - 19 including twin boys **Great grandchildren** - 12

I'm a farmers wife - driving truck for lots of years, hauling hay and grain, cooking for workers and family, feeding cows and calves, and of course milking the cows (not really). We had 200 registered cows and 500 acres of farmland. We have now sold the dairy herd and renting the farm to our son, Brett. - Bought a condo in St. George so we are now able to winter there where we can golf, and golf, and golf in the summer at Rexburg. - Our grandchildren and great grandchildren keep us busy going to games (football, basketball, soccer, baseball), High School rodeos, dance recitals, Blessings, birthdays, missionary farewells, and weddings. And we are busy in our Church callings. Hope to go on a Mission next year if health permits. - Dairy farming kept us pretty close to home but did have trips to New York and Hawaii. Also a Caribbean cruise and recent Alaskan cruise. - We will celebrate our **50th** wedding anniversary in September and our children are taking us to Hawaii. "Love our Great Family"!

Larry Hill
Rexburg, ID 83440

Spouse: Shirley Green. We met at a dance in Shelly.
Shirley is from Manan ID. We were married in 1965.
Children: (8) Susan, Craig, Val, Rod, Bryant, Linda, Lori and Relda.
Grand Children: (41)
Great Grandchildren: (3)

I am still currently working the farm in Lyman.
We have traveled to Branson MO. And Hawaii.
Whenever I can I go down to the Snake River by the farm and fish.
I really enjoy fishing.

KEITH S. HINCKLEY

Blackfoot, Idaho 83221-6213

Spouse: Gay Nell Clark Hinckley
Children: Dr. Daniel K. Hinckley
Denise H. Taylor
Grandchildren: 10 (8 living)
Great Grandchildren: 1
Education: Bachelors of Science, Ag Educ, University of Idaho
Masters of Science, Ag Econ, Utah State University
Executive Management, Stanford University

Since leaving high school and completing my education, I served in the US Army and the Army Reserve and was discharged as a Captain. I worked for Basic American Foods for thirty-eight years and during that time lived in Blackfoot, Idaho, Moses Lake, Washington, San Francisco, California and London, England. We had food-processing plants in Blackfoot, Idaho Falls, and Rexburg, Idaho, Moses Lake, Washington, Portland, Oregon, Plover, Wisconsin, Las Cruces, New Mexico, Boston, Massachusetts, and Glowno, Poland. I retired in 1997 as Executive Vice President of Basic American Foods, Chairman of the Board of Sunspiced, Inc., and Chairman of the Supervisory Board of POLBAF in Glowno, Poland.

Community activities include having served on the Board of Directors and as Chairman of United for Idaho, Member of the Executive Board of Idaho Association of Commerce and Industry, member of the Executive Committee of Northwest Food Processors, and as president and member of the Idaho State Board of Education. In addition I was a participant in the Governor's Task Force 2000, a member of the Business Advisory Council for Idaho State University, and member and chairman of the National Advisory Board—BYU College of Biology and Agriculture. I am currently a member of the University of Idaho Foundation and past chairman and a member of the executive committee of the Idaho Falls Higher Education Advisory Council.

I have been listed in Who's Who in America and Who's Who Worldwide, was named Idaho Business Leader of the Year for 1991 and IEA Idaho Friend of Education for 1995. I received a Governor's Commendation for Distinguished Public Service, the University of Idaho Presidents Medallion (distinguished service to the University of Idaho, the community , the state and the nation) the Boy Scouts of America District Distinguished Service Award, and this past year the Distinguished Alumni Award from the College of Agriculture and Biology at the University of Idaho.

In the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, my service includes Bishop, Stake High Councilor, Stake Executive Secretary and Councilor in the Stake Presidency. I am currently serving as Stake Patriarch and Ordinance Worker in the Idaho Falls Temple

Ross Hinckley

Rexburg, ID 83340

Spouse: Nancy Petersen
Five Children: Two girls and three boys
Susan, Scott, Robin, Ron, Corey
13 grandchildren
6 great-grandchildren and one on the way

Having lived in Burton all our married life, I worked at several different jobs in the area until going to work for Louisiana Pacific Corporation in Rexburg as a forklift operator. In 1994 I retired after working there for 26 years. I kind of laid around for a couple of years, could not take it, and decided to go back to work. For the last seven years I have worked for the Madison School District in the school lunch program delivering meals from the central kitchen to the outlying schools.

A few years ago the doctor told me that I had high blood pressure, was on the verge of having a stroke. He suggested that I get some exercise to try to bring it down. I began riding the bicycle, usually about 10 miles a day. It helped, so I have continued on with it. A while back I received an award for riding a total of 10,000 miles on the bike. I should be able to receive "frequent flyer" miles, don't you think? The traveling we do is mostly to see our grandchildren, (but not on the bicycle). My wife tells me that she thinks I can do most anything as far as repair is concerned unless it involves electronics. That I leave alone.

I have been active in the church all my life and have held many positions. Being an Assistant Ward Clerk and Ward Clerk for 11 years was very enjoyable to me.

Ned Horne

Weiser, ID 83672

Spouse: Carolyn Stohler (divorced)
Children: (3) Lorrie, Julie, Karl
Spouse: Margene Blair
Step-children: (1) Tanya

For the first year following high school graduation, I worked with my dad on the farm in Thornton and then joined the Air Force. After finishing my stint there, I attended the Northrup Institute of Technology in Englewood, California, where I trained as a pilot, and a aircraft mechanic. For the next three years I worked in Southern California as a pilot and aircraft mechanic.

My next job was in Boise for Morrison Knudsen Construction Company in the corporate flight department. I was there for 13 years. Margene and I were married in 1970 at Boise. I was hired by the Forest Service in Alaska in 1976. My job there was to inspect the helicopters and airplanes that were on contract to the Forest Service before they went into service to fight fires, etc. Before I retired in 1998, I spent ten years with the Federal Aviation Administration. I still maintain active pilot and mechanic licenses.

Margene has a daughter named Tanya. Tanya lives in Meridian, Idaho with her 3 children, Scott, Kristen and Nicole. My oldest Daughter Lorrie lives in Prescott, AZ. With her husband and 3 children, Kristen, Mathew and Staci. My daughter Julie lives in Scottsdale, AZ. With her husband and 2 children, Michael and Faith. I have a son, Karl, who lives in Mesa, AZ. with his wife Teresa.

Now I am at "leisure in Weiser", Idaho. Although Idaho and Alaska are both places to enjoy my hobbies of fishing and hunting, it is a bit hard to find caribou in Idaho. My wife and I stayed clear of the brown bears that we saw while in the mountains and forests of Alaska. They left us alone as long as we didn't bother them. We never tired of catching salmon while in Alaska. We went fishing for them about every week and practiced conservation by catching and releasing although enough were kept to assure good eating. One time a six-foot halibut worked me and my son for a couple of hours before landing it and it was estimated to weigh 200 pounds. That was a fish!

LaRee Huffaker Golder
Menan, Idaho 83434

LaRee Huffaker
Menan, Idaho

Ralph Albert Golder
Kevin Lamar
Camille
4, ages - 14, 12, 9, 7.

We lived in Idaho Falls for 6 Mo. then we moved to Twin Falls for 6 mo. and then it was back to Idaho Falls for a year then we bought a home and moved to Menan and have there ever since, but after the Teton dam broke we built a new home in the same place.

Since high school I have worked at Johnson Drug for 1 year, then on I went to Mountain Bell for 3 years, then I stayed home for 20 years raising our 2 Children then I went to work at Idahoan Foods for 18 years then I retired in 1997 since then we have been Herbalife Distributors. And now we are serving a Mission at the Family History Center in Rexburg.

JANNETTE JACKOMSEN HANSEN

Grants Pass, OR 97527

Spouse - Larry G. Hansen **Children** - 7 **Grandchildren** - 19

Education - Graduated from Idaho State University with a degree in Deaf Education and an Exceptional Child Certificate.

Married Frenchie Jensen in 1954. Lived in Idaho Falls. In 1971 started working for the Idaho State School for the Deaf and Blind as a Parent-School Advisor. Worked in that capacity for 18 years. Frenchie died in 1981 and in 1982 married Larry G. Hansen. Moved to Northern CA seven years later, where a freelance interpreter/consultant business was established. Served a mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in 1999. Moved to OR in 2002. Life has been good, as we combined families, had extraordinary opportunities with people from all walks of life and visited many beautiful areas this wonderful world has to offer.

Ila Jean Huskinson

St. George, UT 84790

Spouse: Weldon Moore (deceased)

Children (0)

I went to Ricks College for two years following graduation and then began working for the Idaho Bank of Commerce in Rexburg. I remained there until 1958, when I went on a church mission to Sidney, Australia. Following my mission I relocated in Salt Lake City and worked for Walker Bank in Sugar House and downtown Salt Lake City.

While living in Salt Lake I met a special man, John White, at a singles dance and we began dating. One night after we finished eating at a restaurant he asked me to marry him. My response was a positive 'Yes.' We left the restaurant and were walking to the car which was parked in an area without sidewalks. A drunk driver came from behind and struck us both, killing John instantly. Obviously I survived, but I was hurt badly, sustaining several broken bones and other injuries for which I spent time in the hospital. This accident possibly changed my entire life. Being alone and without his companionship was a very difficult thing for me.

I married John Conford in May of 1974, but it didn't work out and we were divorced shortly after our moving to St. George in 1979. In St. George I worked in various banking establishments and for Ernst until the store was closed there permanently. While working at First Interstate Bank I noticed a man who had come to one of the teller's cages and who looked vaguely familiar to me. Going up to him, I realized it was my former mission president, Weldon Moore. As we talked and became reacquainted I learned that his wife had died and he was moving to St. George. He asked me out and after dating for a while we were married. I guess it is quite unique to marry one's mission president. We were able to do many things together, such as taking a cruise to the Baja, and a trip to San Diego. Although he was much older than I, we were happy together and it was a sad time for me when Weldon died in 1995. I was alone again.

Work as a sales clerk in the St. George J. C. Penny Store keeps me busy. When I have spare time I enjoy watching sports and am a great fan of BYU. I used to enjoy playing softball and still like to bowl. Activity in the church has been an important part of my life and I have served on both the ward and the stake levels in the YWMIA programs. I also served as counselor in the stake Relief Society.

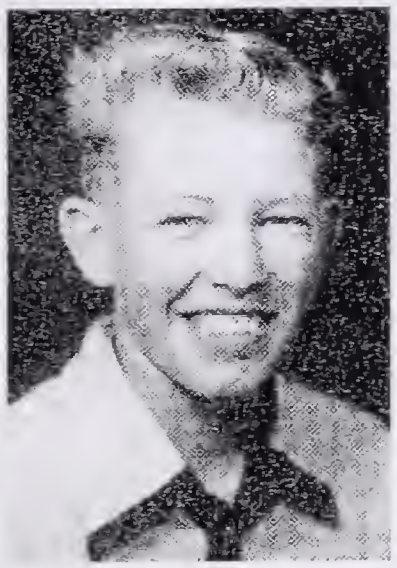
Franchot Jensen
Deceased Dec. 3, 1981

Franchot S. "Frency" Jensen 46, longtime Idaho Falls resident, was kiled when the truck he was driving, left the road and overturned at Sweet Home, Ore., Dec. 3, 1981. He had suffered and apparent heart attack.

He was born Jan. 20, 1935, at Rexburg, to Mr. and Mrs Archie Jensen. He attended school there and graduated from Madison High School and Ricks College. He received a degree in pharmacy from Idaho State University. He worked at the LDS Hospital in Idaho Falls and later at the State Hospital South in Blackfoot.

He married Jannette Jockomsen, June 28, 1955 in the Idaho Falls LDS Temple,

Survivors include his wife: a daughter, Mrs Mark (Jodie) Jensen of Butte; Mont.; Three sons, Mitchell F., a sophomore at Ricks College, Kris F., who will enter the mission home in January and Barry F., a junior at Gooding; his parents Richard (Maralyn) Nielsen of Salt Lake; a brother, Dennis D. of Idaho Falls and a granddaughter, Britta Lee.



Larry "Sid" Jenson

Roberts, Idaho 83444

I married Katherine Miller July 21, 1961, and we have seven children: Daedre Gamblin, Sandy, Utah; Jacqueline Holt, Scottsdale, Arizona; Julie Young, Roberts, Idaho; David Jenson, Houston, Texas; Janette Jenson, Palo Alto, California; Jared Jenson, Denver, Colorado; Brett Jenson, Roberts, Idaho. We have 17 grandchildren.

After graduating from High School, I attended Ricks College made the Basketball team and then served a Mission to Australia. Upon returning I was offered a scholarship to play for USU. In 1962, I graduated with a degree in Agronomy. I returned to Idaho and got involved in Farming in Roberts where we have been every since.

I have been actively involved serving in the church over the years, recently at BYU Idaho. I have been on the county Planning & Zoning, Board of Director of Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance Co, Utah State University Alumni Council, and on the Eliza R. Snow Board at BYU Idaho.

My hobby is playing Basketball. For the last twelve years I have been playing in Senior Basketball tournaments. Each May we go to Florida to the National Championships and then in October to the Huntsman World Senior games. Beside that we also play in World Masters Tournaments through out the world. In 1997 in Helsinki, 98 the Nike World Masters in Portland, 2001 we beat the Russians and won the Gold, and last October in Melbourne, Australia we won in a double overtime. So I think it is time to retire.

Interesting Places & things we have done. We have a daughter who is a Flight attendant with Delta so it is easy to go where we want. We have done a number of Cruises but two of our favorites were the Mediterranean & the Amazon.

Idagene Jeppson (Hone)

Brigham City, UT. 84302

Idagene Jeppson Hone married to Glayde Hone
Attended Ricks College for 2 years.
Graduated from BYU with a degree in elementary teaching certificate.
1957 was a big year in my life. I got married, graduated and had twins.
Our children are Marva Woodruff married to Kevin Woodruff. They have 5 children.
Michael Hone married to Melonie Glum . They have 3 children.
Rebecca Ann Cox married to Paul Cox. They have 4 children.
Matthew Glen Hone married to Jeannine Hansen. They have 5 children.
Doyle Glayde Hone married to Cody Karlensy. They have 4 children.
Charlene Jensen and she has 3 children;
Jennifer Broderick married to Vernon Broderick and they have 3 soon to be 4.
Marva and Kevin have 3 grandchildren and it will soon be 5.

We lived in the Provo-Orem area for 13 years. First while my husband finished school and then after he started working in Salt Lake. He became an auditor and after working 5 years for Sperry, he worked for the government for DCAA. In 1969 he was sent to Nam to audit the companys that had contracts with our government. He was there a year and then when he came home he was trasfered out to Thikol to audit. We then moved to Brigham City. After we'd been there for about 19 months, he was transferred to Alaska to be auditor in charge of all the goverment contracts in Alaska. We drove the Alcan with a 5 week old baby and the rest of our 6 kids. He drove the truck and I drove the car with the help of my sister. We spent 3 years up there. Our two oldest graduated from high school just before we moved back to Brigham. They were 3 wonderful years in the most beautiful country I have ever seen. We've lived in Brigham ever since 1975. Glayde did change jobs and worked for the Air Force until he retired in 1995.

We've been active in the church. He has served in the elder's quorum presidency in every ward we've ever lived and later in the High priest as a assist. He's worked with the Scouts. I've worked in every organization . Have served as Relief Society President twice. Generally I've worked as a primary teacher and organist for different organizations. We are now serving in the Ogden Temple as ordinance workers. It is the best calling in the Church. We've been there a little more than 6 years

When our kids were little we took lots of camping trips around Utah and the beautiful red rocks. Since Glayde retired, we have spent two summers in Alaska and really enjoyed them.

Luella Kauer (Rumsey)

St. Anthony, ID 83442

Married - Gayle Rumsey
Eight Children - Kurt, Audrey, Arlene, Jeannette, Russsell (deceased), Denton, and twins - Lynn and Lyle

34 Grandchildren - 5 Great Grandchildren

Following high school I attended Ricks College for two years and worked at the telephone office in Rexburg. Egin Bench is where we have farmed and made our home since our marriage in 1955. What a great place to raise a family! We built a new home out by the sand hills where we presently live.

I have worked at the Parker School in the Title I program, in a hydroponic greenhouse, and then for First Security Bank for 14 years before retiring. Then I worked there for another five years and retired again.

My husband had a heart transplant in 1993. He is doing well, although we have to travel to Salt Lake several times a year for his check-ups.

We have gone on some great trips with our friends. We belonged to a square dance club and traveled on our motorcycles. I have been active in church and have served in various callings. I was given a pin a few years ago for having served in the Primary for 19 years. My family has kept me busy, but I managed to find time for oil painting, which I love. I enjoy gardening, quilting, and sincerely love life a lot.

Robert (Bob) Keele

Married Carole Beattie (deceased)
Married Jerry Moore
Two children
Two grandchildren

I was born in Burton and have remained in the Rexburg area all my life. In 1958 I was married a former classmate, Carole Beattie. We adopted a little girl whom we named Brenda. She is married and lives in California. Carole died from Multiple Sclerosis in 1970.

After Carole's death, I married another classmate, Jerry Moore Spaulding. We have one son, Stacey Keele.

As an occupation I drove bus for Ricks College for 14 years and for the last 16 years I have driven truck for Squires Brick in Rexburg. Not yet ready to retire I make truck runs for Squires to and from Utah two or three times a week.

My hobbies are team roping as a rodeo event with my son, Stacey, fishing (still am waiting to catch the big one), hunting (waiting to sight-in a trophy animal), and golfing, (when I get a hole in one, I will let you know).

Shirley Klingler Morrell

Brigham City, UT 84302

Spouses Name: David Nichols Morrell
Names of Children: Beverly, Glen, Douglas, Stephen, Carol, Alan, Bill
Number of Grandchildren: 18

Brief Life Sketch Since High School:

After graduating from Madison High School, I spent three years at Ricks College and was a member of the "Class That Never Was". I then continued my education at Brigham Young University in Provo where I graduated in 1957 with a Bachelor's Degree in Home Economics. I taught Home Making and Art at Rigby Junior High School during the 1957-58 School Year and then served an eighteen month mission in the Northwestern States Mission. I was hired at Madison High School to finish up the 1959-60 School Year and then spent the summer at Utah State University to brush up on my teaching skills and to seek a teaching position in Utah. I was employed by the Box Elder County School District and taught Home Economics for one year, 1960-61, at Box Elder High School in Brigham City.

On July 5, 1961 my husband, David Morrell, and I were married in the Logan Temple. Incidentally David and Lee are first cousins. We made our home in Brigham City where we raised our family. We were blessed with seven children, five sons and two daughters. We also had a young Navajo girl who lived in our home for four years as part the of Lamanite Indian Placement Program. All seven of our children attended Ricks College, graduated from college with bachelors degrees and the boys have also obtained advanced degrees. They all served full time church missions and are now actively engaged in their employment, schooling and church activities. In addition to our eighteen grandchildren, we have five Indian grandchildren who call us "grandpa and grandma".

David and I are enjoying our retirement years and find great pleasure in our children and grandchildren. Because of health problems, we will be unable to attend the class reunion.

William N. 'Bill' Koon

William Neil "Bill" Koon, 61, of Dry Creek Basin, Colo., a former Rexburg area resident, died Oct. 23, 1996, at the Veterans' Administration Hospital in Salt Lake City.

He was born Aug. 3, 1935, in the Rexburg area at Thornton, to Morace G. and Maud D. Koon. He grew up in the Thornton-Rexburg area and obtained his early education in Thornton, Sunnydell, Union, and Independence, and graduated from Madison High School in Rexburg. He also attended Ricks College.

He married Carol Ann LeNeve of Carmel, Calif. Through his life he lived in Idaho, California, Colorado, Utah and Arizona, working as a motel and cafe manager, professional chief and as an outfitter.

Hunting and fishing were among the activities he enjoyed.

Survivors include his wife, Carol Ann, of Dry Creek Basin; his son and daughter-in-law, Daniel and Krissy Koon of Dry Creek Basin; three brothers, Frank Koon and Jack Kook, both of Rexburg, and Robert Koon of Burns Lake, Canada; and two grandsons. He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother, Vance Koon.

Memorial services are pending.

DaVon Lauder

Kaysville, UT 84037

After High School I attended both Ricks College and Idaho State College. While at Ricks the best thing that has ever happened to me was when I met my wife Gloria Dill, fro Shoshone ID. I had the opportunity to baptize her and we were married in the Idaho Falls Temple.

Gloria and I have six children: Vickie, Carrie, Cyndi, Mark, Jeff and (David born in Germany) We have fifteen grandchildren and one great grandchild.

My career started with IBM in the Automation Department. I enjoyed programming and doing systems analyst work. I have worked for the federal government (Dept of Army) designing their Army Automated Supply System, and then the opportunity came to go to Germany, for five years, as a System Specialist in gathering Intelligence data during the cold war. From there it was back to the good old USA and the Federal Aviation Administration programming the Air Route Traffic Control System, where I retired. Our family has lived in SLC, Chambersburg PA, San Francisco, Wiesbaden Germany, San Francisco, Washington D.C. area, then finally back to SLC.
While in Germany the family vacationing in thirteen European countries.

It seems my life has always been involved working with the youth. Scoutmaster in four different wards. As Scoutmaster our troops were all involved in 50-mile hikes taking five days with everything on our backs. We hike the Alps in Switzerland (Glaciers to Matter horn), The John Muir Trail over the Sierras in Yosemite National Park, The Appalachian Trail in Virginia, and The Highland Trail through the Unitas in Utah. 50-mile canoe trips twice. I received the Wood Badge Award and Order of the Arrow then trained other Scouters to obtain their's. 30 Years in the Scouting program. The highlight of Scouting was the honor of receiving "The Silver Beaver Award" from the Great Salt Lake Council the same evening Pres. Gordon B. Hinckley received his Silver Beaver.

When we moved to Utah my son got me involved in coaching his soccer team. I was asked by Veiwmont High School to coach their High School Team. My son's Jr. year we were forth in State and His Senior year we won the Utah State "5A" Championship. I love the game and as of today still coaching a state U-14 boys team. Oldest coach alive!

Gloria and I have enjoyed traveling with Ricks College Football where David was "All American", then with BYU and finally with the NFL teams David played for.

Church callings: Three Bishoprics, Stake Clerk, High Councilor, HP Group leader and Officiator in the Bountiful Temple for two and half years.
It is now fun to teach Primary CTR age children. Grandpa image.

I keep busy working part time for my son designing office layouts on the computer, and traveling. We still have four more states to tour to cover them all.
We are enjoying our Grandchildren and new Great Grandchild.
My greatest joy and satisfaction in life has and always will be my family.

Roberta La Fevre (Wink)

St. George UT 84770

Roberta Lafever moved to Rupert, Idaho and married Francis Winks on May 23rd, 1951, then moved to Pilot Rock, Oregon shortly after. Our son Blaine Robert Winks was born September 1, 1951 and daughter Lena Cathleen was born August 18, 1955. I worked for St. Anthony hospital in Pendleton, Oregon for 24 years. My daughter was killed in a car accident on December 12, 1970.

After Francis retired we spent our winters in St. George, Utah, where I still spend my winters. Francis passed away July 25th, 2002. Since I left Rexburg, I have lived in Florida, California, Utah and Oregon. My hobbies are sewing, crocheting and crafts. I have visited: Europe, Hawaii, Alaska and church history tours.

Grandchildren: Blaine Robert Jr., Derek David, Bret Alan, Salena Cathlene Jean. Great grandchildren: Brison LeeRay Winks (son of Derek)

Renee Lewis Martinell

Deceased August 19, 1994

WHITEHALL - Memorial services for Renee Lewis Martinell, 57
OF Whitehall, will be at 2 PM Tuesday in the Trinity Methodist Church in Whitehall. Rev. Jerry Bechtle of the Aldersgate Methodist Church will officiate. Cremation has taken place.
Mrs. Martinell died Friday evening in a Dillion hospital
She was born in St. Anthony Idaho on Aug. 21, 1936, to Bernice and Leo Lewis.
Mrs. Martinell attended schools in Rexburg, Idaho and graduated from Beaverhead County High School in Dillon. Upon graduation, she worked for the Beaverhead County Welfare Office and was later employed by Jardine Law Offices, The Montana Power Co. and the Whitehall School District.
She married Jack Martinell on Jan. 1, 1958
Her mother, and son, Scott Martinell, preceded her in death.
Survivors include son and daughter-in-law, Bret and Joanie Martinell of Whithall: daughter and son-in-law, Natalie and Don Minteer of Richland, Wash: Father, Leo Lewis of Dillon: Sister, Janice Trutton of Spokane: Brother, Steve Lewis of Dillon: and two grandchildren.
Memorial may be made to the Scott Martinell Memorial Fund c/c the Whitehall State Bank.

Lawena Little (Lenning)

Deceased March 18, 1997

After High school Lawena started nursing training at Ricks college. She then moved to Idaho Falls to work at the LDS Hospital. She graduated from Ricks College then decided to go to Utah State University to complete her education. She completed her education in Home Economics. In June of 1958 she moved to Murtaugh, Idaho and started teaching High School. In the summer of 1959 she returned to USU to take some additional classes and met Don Lenning who was also a school teacher and they started dating. Don was from Iowa and invited Lawena to his family home for Christmas. There he gave her a Christmas present."An engagement ring" They were married June 4, 1960

They moved to Orange California and lived there for 34 years.

Her children were Harlo, Alan, Grant, Lora and Bruce.

After her children were raised she wanted to return to work. Lawena was very active in the LDS church and devoted a lot of time to the Relief Society.

The most important thing in Lawena's life were her five children and five grand-children.

Dwayne (Johnnie) Luthy

Sugar City, Idaho 83448

Spouse: Ellen Romrell
Children: (6) Jeff, Susan, Tom, David, Jared, Jennifer.
Grandchildren: (30)
Great Grandchildren: (3)

Dwayne did not care for the given name his parents chose for him, so when only five years old he began telling everyone that his name was "Jonnie", and it stuck.

After attending Ricks College for a couple of years, he went into the Army, but received a medical discharge before his service time was completed.

Johnnie and his family lived in many places including, Archer, Ririe, Blackfoot, Egin Bench and Parker before their going to Bethel, Alaska. Bethel is located 1-1/2 hours, flying time from Anchorage and is near the Bering Sea. There I worked as a mechanic on heavy-duty trucks and also worked in a plumbing and heating shop. In that land of the frozen north, temperatures can reach 90 degrees below zero, so after living there for only a short time, we decided to come back to where conditions were less extreme. We settled in Sugar City where we live today. I owned and operate a machine and welding sop in Rexburg for 12 years.

Although as a mechanic by trade and I presently work for the city of Sugar City part-time. I have farmed and raised livestock. My wife says that I am a handy man and she knows of no one she would rather be with if hard times or disaster strikes. That's the way my parents taught me to "make do" and to be resourceful with whatever I have and I do just that.

Horses are a particular love of mine. That is just behind my wife and family, as is German Shepard dogs. I do not like to see any animal mistreated.

I have always been active in the church in the various places that we have lived. I have accepted calls to serve as they have been given to me.

Clairelyn McKinlay (Holm)
Idaho Falls, Id.
83402

Spouse: Claren P. Holm

Children:
Carrie Potter, Idaho Falls 2 Children
Tamara Larson, Boise 1 Child
Stephanie Scott, Boise 1 Child

Step Children:
Corey Holm, Kaysville 6 children
Layne Holm, Idaho Falls 3 children
RaKell Worton, Idaho Falls 5 children
Edee Holm; Idaho Falls 2 children

Great-grand children: 1

After High School, I attended one year at Ricks College, then moved to Idaho Falls. I worked at Mt States Tel. And Tel. For about one year. I married Ralph Sorensen (Class of 1950). We were married for 4½ years and had three girls. We divorced in 1960. For 11 years I worked and raised my kids. In 1971 I married Claren Holm
(Roberts). We have traveled in Central America, Mexico and Hawaii.
My sister Jean and I traveled to Europe in 1976. We spent two weeks traveling on a Eurail Pass. We were in London, Rome, Pisa, Monoco, Paris and spent a5 days in Bitburg Germany where my daughter and her husband were stationed. They had just had my second grand-child.
Since then, my sister Jean and Reinita and I have taken two cruises, one from Los Angeles through the Panama Canal to Porto Rico.
Last winter we took a cruise from Tahitia to Hawaii.
More local, my husband and I have ridden our Harleys for about 10,000 miles per year for about the past 14 years. Every year to Sturgis and also down the west coast and into the Colorado Mts.
We retired two years ago and unfortunately we have been tied pretty close to home since. There is still a lot of this old world to see and I hope to be able to see more of it in the future.

E. 'Skip' McRae

REXBURG – Eldon "Skip" Robert McRae, 56, of Rexburg, died Sept. 15, 1991, at his home of cancer.

McRae

He was born May 23, 1935, at Thornton to John and Arliean Higley McRae. He attended grade school at the Union School west of Thornton and Madison High School in Rexburg. He served two years in the U.S. Army at Fort Benning, Ga.

On May 22, 1958, he married LaRue Bradshaw in St. Anthony. They later divorced. He was a police officer in Rexburg for ten years. He left the police force to work on the family farm, where he lived until his death.

Survivors include two sons, Gary Lynn McRae and Glen Robert McRae, both of Rexburg; three brothers and three sisters, John McRae of Ashton, Denis McRae of Meridian, Lynn McRae of Rexburg, Lola Mancilla of Salem, Ore., Hilda Widdison of Moses Lake, Wash., and Lynette Brewington of Caldwell; and two grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents and three brothers.

Funeral services will be Wednesday at 1 p.m. at the Rexburg LDS 17th Ward in Burton with Bishop Morgan Beattie officiating. The family will meet with friends Tuesday from 7 to 8 p.m. at Flamm Funeral Home in Rexburg and again Wednesday from noon to 12:45 p.m. at the church. Burial will be in Burton Cemetery.

David Melendez

Colorado Springs, CO 80919

Spouse: Ruth
Children: Michele, Mark, Julia, Christopher
Grandchildren: 3
Great Grandchildren: 2
Education: B.S.: Political Science/History; M.S.: Sociology/Education; Ph.d: Educational Leadership
Life Sketch: Raising my family, continuing my education, and professional work. I have lived in Utah, Ohio, Colorado, Arizona, and California. My family and I have lived in Colorado Springs since 1986.
Profession & Retirement: I have been an educator my entire adult life. This includes teaching in the public schools, high school administration, and higher education.
Hobbies: saving the earth's trees and water
Interesting places & things I have done: Over the years, I have enjoyed travel and I have been fortunate to visit most areas of the world - Europe, the Middle East, Africa, Latin America, and most recently, China.

I wish each of you happiness and good health.

David

Jerry Moore (Keele)

Married Dwight Spaulding (later divorced)
Married Robert Keele
Five children
Twelve Grandchildren
Two Great Grandchildren on the way

I was married to Dwight Spaulding in July after graduating from High School in May. To us were born three daughters and one son. They are Cristy Dillman, Mike Spaulding, Carla Healey, and Melanie Eckman. As a farmer's wife and mother to four Spaulding children I was a busy lady.

Bob Keele and I have one son, Stacey Keele. After the children were mostly grown I worked part-time as a sales assistant, and at the Madison School District as cashier for the school lunch program. Bob has been a truck driver and is not yet retired.

I was born in Rexburg and have lived here all my life. The community has changed since Ricks College was made a four-year university called BYU Idaho. I enjoy driving around and seeing the new developments and building projects that are in progress. Having always been active in church, I have served in many positions.

My hobbies are cooking, taking rides and occasionally eating out. It is nice to have three of my childhood friends and classmates, Mary Jean, Marie and Sharon, all living in the Rexburg area. We enjoy going out to lunch and visiting about old times. I love people and enjoy spending time with my husband, children and grandchildren.

Name: M. Lee Morrell

Address:
Cedar City, UT 84720

Email Address:

Spouses Name: Dixie Lee Morrell

Names of Children: M. Russell Morrell
Lori Lee Hicks
James Randall Morrell
Melinda Anne Hilton
Benjamin Christian Morrell
Thomas Jason Morrell

Number of Grandchildren: Eleven

Number of Great Grandchildren: Zero

Education: Bachelor of Science—Chemistry (BYU)
Master of Science (two degrees)—Chemistry (BYU and MIT)
PhD—Chemistry (University of Washington)

Brief Life Sketch Since High School:

In the fall of 1956 I left on a mission to Western Canada. After completing my mission I enrolled in school at Brigham Young University and graduated in 1961. At the beginning of my second year of graduate school at BYU I met Dixie Lee Gaddie and we were married in the Idaho Falls Temple. Shortly after our marriage we left for Boston where I had a teaching assistantship at MIT. We lived one year in Brookline where our first child was born and one year in Cambridge. Our next move was to Seattle, Washington, where we lived for three years while I completed my doctorate in physical chemistry. Our second child was born there. After completing my schooling in Seattle we moved to Cedar City, Utah, where I accepted a teaching position at Southern Utah University. We added four more children to our family and I retired at the end of 2001 after 35 years of teaching. We have recently accepted a mission call to the Honolulu Hawaii mission where I will be teaching chemistry at BYU-Hawaii for two years. I enjoy reading, hiking, fishing, gardening and traveling.

Lorin Mortensen

Rexburg, ID 83440

Married - Colleen Clark
Six Children - two girls and four boys

Cindy, Todd, Monte, Justin, Blake, Misty

14 Grandchildren

There hasn't been many idle minutes since graduation. Since our marriage we've been busy raising hay, grain, kids, and cows all the while being engaged in outside employment. I served in the Idaho National Guard for nine years. I am now employed with American Potato here in Rexburg as a team leader or crew foreman.

Until six years ago I rode horses as a hobby, but gave that up because of an accident while on horseback. With a six year old grandson behind me, I was riding in a little parade. The horse reared and in so doing, her shoes slipped on the blacktop. She went over backwards, falling on us. The saddle horn crushed me just below my ribs. Had it hit a little higher I may well have been killed. Our little grandson was hospitalized, but recovered and is fine now.

It has been great to have all six of our children graduate from Ricks College and have our four boys serve missions. One son went on to graduate from BYU with a Bachelors Degree and a Masters Degree from Arizona State. Two sons and a daughter received Bachelors Degrees from Utah State University. I have been an active member of the LDS church and served in many positions. I particularly liked working with the youth and helping in Scouting.

Our grandchildren all love to come home to the farm in Lyman to see the animals, help Grandpa, and ride the four-wheeler. Sometimes we take them to fish the creek that flows through our pasture-land outside Driggs.

Colleen and I enjoyed a trip to Australia and Hawaii, but we were glad to get back to Idaho. Life has been great!

Harry Munns

Rexburg, ID 83440

Married - Vonda Torgorsen
Children: (2) Sherri, Russell, Paul, Jana
Grandchildren: (19)
Great-grandchildren: (1) and one on the way

I live in Lyman within a rifle shot of the old family home where I grew up. Having lived in Lyman all his life my roots have sunk deep in the soil of eastern Idaho, which I consider a good place to live and raise a family. Besides a farm in Lyman, I jointly own a ranch near Hebgen Lake outside West Yellowstone, with my brothers. Vonda and I enjoy going there and staying at a cabin on the ranch. To better manage my farm and ranch business I attended business management classes at Eastern Idaho Vocational College during three winters. When I am not astride a horse working in a cattle roundup, I ride as a hobby. In the farm and ranch business a man does his own mechanical work so it was necessary for me to do that. When time permits we help out during the summer at the Jacob's Ranch in Island Park grilling steak and serving guests.

We enjoy traveling to visit our children and grandchildren. It was a great adventure to go to Washington State recently and have the opportunity to be passengers in a pontoon plane which landed us on McNary Reservoir. I've had a good time at Christmastime by donning a red suit and cap, black boots, and a long white beard for making unexpected visits to the homes of friends, family, and ward members with a greeting of "Ho, Ho, Ho Merry Christmas "

A lifetime of church activity has kept me involved and busy. I have especially enjoyed working with the youth for whom I have been responsible. These youth, now grown, still come back to visit Bishop Munns. These times are very special.

Gail Nelson (Timms)
Provo, UT 84604

After I graduated from MHS I attended Ricks and BYU getting my Mrs. In 1956. Seven years, three children (Jack, Jocelyn, Nathan), deception and divorce later, graduated Beauty School and received cosmetology license. I was employed in Provo in 1965. Juggled roles: full time stylist, single Mom, student at the Y, and dating again. Entered and won trophies in styling competitions in Utah, Idaho and California. 1970 blessed with "the real thing", Derek, LCSW. We completed our family with four beautiful daughters (Stacie, Britney, Amber, Ashley) through 1979.

We have 7 Children and 21 grandchildren.

Built home on the East bench with an unrestricted view and have enjoyed it for 31 years. Served local ward and stake and on BYU campus in a variety of callings. We have enjoyed travel with our missionaries. Craziest trip was taking Jack out of BYU to join us, picking up a Saab turbo in Sweden (purchased in SLC) and our missionary Jocelyn in Belgium. We put 6,000 miles on the car in Jan/Feb as we toured Europe and England with no wet weather! Our favorite is Derek's homeland England, we can't stay away. We count our blessings as we enjoy our 21 grandchildren. We're fortunate that 5 families live close by and love being together. We visit Texas and California for the other 2. We are both semi- retired, enjoy serving, sharing and living in the best-of-all times surrounded by loved ones. We look forward to serving a mission as a couple in a few years.

Nylin Nelson

Rexburg, Idaho 83440

Spouse: Diane Ritchie
Children: (7) Brenda, Dalene, Mark, Darvin Nelson (Deceased), Teresa, Stephen, Joseph.
Grandchildren: (17)

Following high school I certified as a railroad telegrapher and worked in Fresno, CA. Although I discontinued this work, it instilled in me a life-long love of trains. Coming back to Rexburg, I graduated with an associate degree from Ricks College, Following which I served a mission to Norway. Before returning home, I had the Opportunity to tour Denmark, Sweden, Germany, France and Holland.

After my marriage to Diane, I attended B.Y.U. and received a Bachelor's degree in Elementary Education then went on to obtain a Master's degree in Education Administration for Idaho State University. I have been involved with administrative work, but teaching in the elementary classrooms was more enjoyable to me.
I retired from teaching after have taught in schools in Idaho Falls, Clark Count, Nevada and in Sugar City.

My hobbies are gardening, stamp collecting, studying history and traveling. On our way to visit our children Diane and I have traveled much of the Mormon Trail, Oregon Trail and the Lewis and Clark Trail.
We have taken tours of most of the States, Western Canada, Central Mexico, England, Scotland and Norway.

Bonnie Jean Neville (Munns)

Rexburg, Idaho 83440

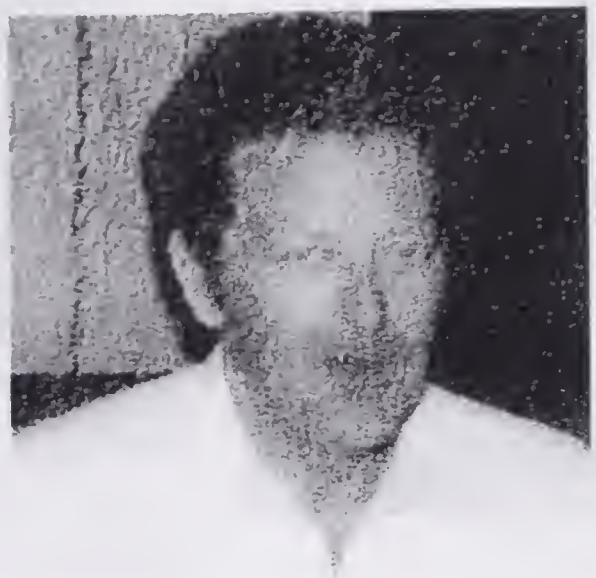
Spouse: Lyrin Don Munns
Children: (4) Lyrin, Joy, Lee, Kelly.
Grandchildren: (25)
Great Grandchildren: (8) and (3) more on the way

Our fifty years of marriage has consisted of mostly farming, ranching and raising cows and "Kids", not necessarily in that order.

We owned the Rexburg Livestock Auction for 20 years with three of Lyrin's brothers. I still work there as a secretary.

The five Munn's brothers have a ranch on Hebgen Lake near West Yellowstone, MT. In which we share ownership. Although we have taken several trips with friends, which were exciting, our big "get away" is to our ranch in Kilgore accompanied with several grandchildren. I love to fish and it is fun to see the little children catch their first ones.

Lyrin and I love to dance and we did that for many years. As a hobby I designed and sewed competition dance costumes until a heart attack stopped me. Our great joy is having our family close and sharing activities with them. Material goods have never been our goal. What really counts are or precious posterity and that is what we live for. They make the gray hair and wrinkles worth it all!



Calvin Nielson

Deceased April 1, 1989

Lewiston- Calvin Lamar Nielson, 54, former resident Of Idaho Falls, died April 1,1989, at Lewiston of a lingering illness.

He was born Nov. 5, 1934, at Lyman, to Calvin Nicholas and Sybil Theresa Butler Nielson. He attended schools in Rexburg, Idaho. He lived in the Idaho Falls area until 1971, then moved to Moscow, Idaho and later to Lewiston, Idaho.

Survivors include two sons, Greg Nielson and Cary Nielson, both of Idaho Falls; two daughters, Mrs. Allen (Tina) Foster and Mrs. Doug (Tracy) Bingham both of Idaho Falls; Two stepsons, Kyle Cook and Alan Cook, both of Idaho Falls; a stepdaughter, Shellie Cook of Idaho Falls; his stepmother, Erma Nielson of Ronan, Montana; a half-sister, Mrs. James (Lynn) Joliffe of Missoula, Montana; two half-brothers, Nick Nielson and Roger Nielson; and five grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Family graveside services will be in Sutton Cemetery in Archer.

Sharon Parker (Christensen)

Rexburg, ID 83440
Email

Married -Billy D. Christensen of Rexburg
Children -Paul Christensen, Susan Gundersen, Trent Christensen and Connie Anderson.
Eighteen grandchildren
five great-grandchildren

I married Billy D. Christensen a week following High School Graduation and we have lived together for 50 years. Our Golden Wedding Anniversary was celebrated on June 3, 2003. We love Rexburg, and where we have always been our home. As a mother to four children, 18 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren, I have been kept busy as a full time mother, grandmother, and homemaker although I have worked off and on in seasonal part-time employment

After the children left home I was able to take classes at Ricks College, most of them being religion classes, genealogy, and computer classes. Family History research has taken me to a few far-away places like New York City, Pittsburgh and England. Our daughter married a man from Norway and lived there for a year. While she was there I visited and tried hard to learn a little Norwegian. My hobbies include Family History research, family history writing, learning computer skills, handiwork, bird watching, taking college classes, reading, and spending time with my husband and family.

Church work has been a great part of my life as I have served in a variety of positions. The most enjoyable for me was serving as a teacher of adult classes, as well as any callings that were genealogy related. Editing the Sunday Bulletin at present gives me vent for my hard-learned computer skills. I belong to Daughters of Utah Pioneers, the Read and Share Book Club, and Madison County Republican Women's Club where I am editor of the club's monthly newsletter.

Bill retired in 1992 from Westinghouse Electric where he worked as a Senior Test Engineer at the Idaho Nuclear Labs. We served a Church Service Mission together establishing an LDS Employment Center in Rexburg. For the past several winters we have spent part of the winter months in St. George, Utah

Carolyn Parkinson (Roush)
Sandy, UT 84092

Spouse's name: Darwin Roush from Salt Lake City
Names of children: Darwin Gary Roush, Patti Zierse, Penni Crowther, Diane Johnson
Susan Jones, Marilyn Burton, Gary Keith Roush, Sandra Montague
Number of grandchildren: 31
Number of great Grandchildren: 18
Education: B.S in Music Education and Elementary Education- Ricks College 1956

Brief sketch since High School: College at Ricks, taught grade school in Rigby, Idaho, taught piano lessons and grade school in Portland, Oregon, taught elementary school music in Smithfield, Utah and in Salt Lake City.

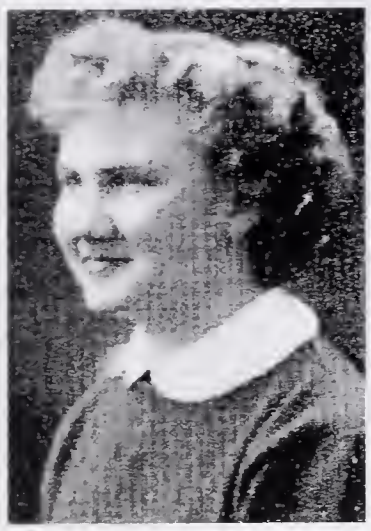
Where I have lived: Rigby, Idaho; Eugene and Portland, Oregon; Cache Valley, Orem, Wallsburg,Coalville, alt Lake City, Utah.

Hobbies: Playing the piano and organ and guitar, sewing, singing, hiking in the mountains and along the seashore. Winter sports. People. Genealogy. Traveling. Going out in Desert gathering interesting formations of rocks for the landscaping of our home.

Places I have been: Europe, most of the states in the Union, including Hawaii, Mexico, Book of Mormon tour to Guatemala.

Things that I have done: My husband and I have served three missions for the LDS Church: Salt Lake City Inner-City Mission; California Ventura Mission, (mainly in Bakersfield Frazier Park) Bellingham Institute of Religion at Western Washington University in Bellingham, Washington. I was in the City of Joseph musical pageant in Nauvoo, Illinois for three summers. Taught elementary school, off and on, since 1956 depending on my financial situation.

I love people and enjoy being with them and having a good time. I, especially, enjoy winter activities because of growing up in Rexburg. Winter is my favorite season. Like most of us, I have had many sorrows and many joys and try to keep a positive attitude. I am very thankful for my heritage in the Upper Snake River Valley and to all the friends that I grew up with.



Name: Garry E. Parkinson and Mary Jean Rigby Parkinson

Address: , Sugar City, Idaho 83448

Telephone Number:

Names of Children: Debbie Briggs, Robert Parkinson, Layne Parkinson, Michael Parkinson, Kathy Kelly, Jeff Parkinson, Ryan Parkinson

Number of Grandchildren: 24, 2 more due in Aug and Oct.

Number of Great Grandchildren: 1, 1 due in Oct.

We have lived in our present home for 33 years. Garry coached boys and girls basketball, football and was Athletic Director at Madison High School for 15 years. He retired from the school two years ago and we have been managing a ranch in Island Park that our daughter and husband bought where we enjoy our family, with the help of our 7 grandsons.

We have been involved in serving in the LDS Church with many positions. We have enjoyed traveling with our family to various places of the world. Our life has been centered around the church and family.

Shirlee Pearson(Wright)

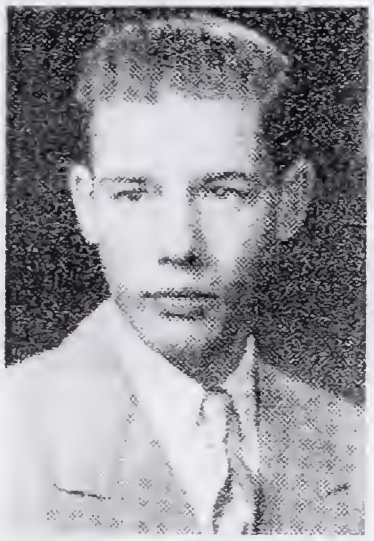
Sugar City, ID 83448

Spouse: Jimmy Wright
Children: (4) Jim, David, Cindy, John
Grandchildren: (12)
Great-grandchildren (2)

Jim and I have lived in Moody all our married life. He served in the military for two years, and worked at the INEL for several years before buying his first backhoe. Then we began purchasing trucks and were full-swing into the excavating and landscaping business.

I was kept busy raising four children as a full-time mother. When I needed to get away, I worked for short periods of time, but those times were never very long. I love to be at home, and have never had a desire to travel. We are content here in Rexburg and think there is not a better place in the world to be. Besides that - we still like each other! And to think that when we were first married there were those that said it would never last.

Besides Jim, reading is my passion. I like books of all kinds. If you pass our house which is just across the Teton River from the Sugar City Cemetery, you will find my yard is full of flowers during the growing season. I would rather have flowers than a new dress. You could call me a gardener and the name would fit just fine. Crocheting afghans for friends and family brings me happiness too. Oh! if you are wondering and if you would really like to know, wringing wet I might hit 100 pounds on the scales.



Don R Percival

ADDRESS: Idaho Falls, ID 83406
SPOUSE: Wanda Zollinger Percival
Email
CHILDREN: Sandy, Jeff, Wendi and Brenda
GRANDCHILDREN: 11
GREAT GRANDCHILDREN: 0
EDUCATION: BS Chemistry, Idaho State College, 1959. U of California, Berkeley, 13 semester hrs in health physics courses, 9/60 to 1/61. U of Idaho INEEL Education Program, 12 semester hrs in chemistry courses, 9/61 to 5/64

After graduation from good old Madison High, I worked at the Rexburg Food Center and attended Ricks College part time. Wanda and I were married in June of 1955 and I continued to work and attend Ricks part time. In the fall of 1957 we moved to Pocatello where I attended Idaho State College, graduating in 1959 with a BS in chemistry. I worked full time on a research project at Idaho State until the fall of 1960 at which time we moved to Berkeley CA where I attended the University of California for one semester. In February, 1961 we took up residence in Idaho Falls and I went to work for the Department of Energy in the Analytical Chemistry Branch of the Radiological and Environmental Sciences Laboratory at the Idaho National Engineering and Environmental Laboratory. What I intended to be only the first job on my way up the ladder turned into a gratifying 30-year career with the same organization. Positions held during that time were Chemist, Section Chief, and Senior Research Chemist. I couldn't have found a more personally and professionally satisfying and rewarding job with a host of varied challenges, responsibilities, and interactions with other people at the "Site" and nationwide. I retired in June, 1991 and spent a few months consulting between then and 1994.

Our greatest efforts over the years have been devoted to making a living and raising and educating our children who, in spite of our on-the-job training, turned out pretty darned well in our unbiased opinion. Now they are doing the same thing with our precious grandchildren, one of which is now married and another who soon will be. Over the years we did manage to find time for hunting, fishing, camping, and golf. I did a little carpentry and wood work too and Wanda still plays golf. We also traveled a little; four of the Hawaiian Islands, Disney Land, Disney World and the Kennedy Space Center, British Columbia and Alberta in Canada, and Canyon Lands and Zion in Utah. While still working, I visited nine state capitals, Washington DC, and numerous cities around the country on assignments and to attend various professional meetings. There is still no place like home; the one in Idaho Falls (actually, the suburb of Ammon which doesn't have its own P.O.) and the one in Surprise, AZ where we have spent winters since 1998. We are grateful to have had the privilege to grow up in small-town Rexburg with people like you and to have been able to raise our family in southeastern Idaho. Wanda and I wish you and yours the very best in the years to come.

Ted F. Powell

Married : Nedra Scoresby in 1954. We have 6 children, 5 girls and boy, 25 grandchildren and 10 ½ great grandchildren.

Education: Ted-BS degree from the U of U in accounting and business.

Master of Business Administration degree, Certified Internal Auditor, and Master Gardner.

Nedra- BS in Nursing from the U of U and Lamaze Certified

Work History:

- While in college as assistant buyer for ZCMI.
- Controller for a consortium of several small businesses.
- Manager of casualty insurance agency.
- LDS Church's Family History Dept. for a total of 30 years.
    - First as supervisor of the Genealogical Library, then in the Granite Mountain vaults
    - For the next 20 years I directed the world wide microfilming program for the church.
    - Last 5 years was in the finance area as an auditor and helping the Family History centers get established

Mission: Two year mission from 2000-2002 in the Bahamas.

We are looking forward to a life of retirement. We have been building a cabin in Island Park, Idaho.

Maurine Pritchard

Anacortes, WA 98221

Spouse: Harold Canterberry (divorced)

Children: (5) Bartavee, Suellen, Michael, Virginia Lee, Kevin
Grandchildren: (20)
Great grandchildren: (8)

Following my sophomore year at Madison, my mother and I went back to Tennessee for a visit. We had come to Rexburg from Tennessee. When she returned to Rexburg and I stayed in there. I then went to Bryan, Texas, where I began working for a title company. It was there that I met and married Harold Canterberry, an Air Force fighter pilot. We had four children, all being born in Texas. I have lived in every state in the nation that has an Air Force base, as I followed him from place to place with his transfers. You may well guess that my hobby is not moving.

Harold and I have been divorced for 34 years. I have finally become old enough and grown up enough to think that I might tie the knot again. The date hasn't been set in stone yet just when I will become Mrs. Don Mauro.

You might like to know that I did graduate from high school, but it wasn't until 1969. My son was a junior when I decided to go to school with him and finish. We were living on the peninsula in Michigan at the time. So for two years I returned to the classroom setting, and received my high school diploma. We made quite a "splash" in the newspapers with a headline reading, "Mother and Son Graduate Together."

I have had to work all my life at a job away from home, which work has mostly been tending bar. Still owning part interest in a couple of bars, I am still involved.

I love any type of handiwork, anything that keeps my hands busy. I enjoy tole painting and recently I have been trying my hand at oil painting. I also enjoy my computer through which I have made many wonderful friends, some as far away as Wales, as we play Bridge and Chess together on line.

My favorite place in the whole world, next to Washington State where my kids live, is Hawaii. I go there every year, with one year finding me spending five months.

I have never heard from anyone about a class reunion before. Sharon called me today and made my day. I am so excited that I have chills running up and down me. I would love to see all of you.

SUE RANDALL

Sue Randall married Bob Huskinson in 1969. They have a "his 'n hers" family of five from their prior marriages--Kirk, Marla and Randall Shirley, and Chris & Anne Huskinson. High on their priority list are their 13 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren!

Sue graduated from Ricks College with a Secretarial Science Degree, and Bob served in the Army during the Korean War. Sue worked as a legal secretary for 13 years, and continues to work LOTS running the office part of their farming business. Retirement...WHAT'S THAT??

They love to snowmobile in Island Park, and most winter Wednesdays you'll find Sue on the slopes of Grand Targhee. Any spare time in the summer is filled with motorcycle trips with friends throughout Idaho, Canada and other Western states.

While they're generally homebodies, Sue saw most of Idaho during her recent term as Idaho State President of the General Federation of Women's Clubs (2000-2002). She also traveled to many cities around the U.S., with favorite stops in Washington D.C. and Boston.

They've been in interesting places at interesting times--she and Bob were visiting their granddaughter in Israel when Prime Minister Rabin was assassinated, and she arrived home from Richmond, VA just hours before the 9/11 events brought air travel to a standstill.

Sue has a very green thumb, and loves to spend time attempting to cultivate the wild hillside behind their home at [illegible] in Rexburg

Ruth Rasmussen (Barney)

Rexburg, ID 83440

Married - Reed Barney
Four children -1 girl and 3 boys
Doranne, Bryan, Jeffrey, Matthew

12 Grandchildren

Following High School I trained on the job as dental assistant and worked for eight years. In 1958 I married Reed Barney and we have made their home in Rexburg since that time. I have been a full-time mother and homemaker (and am proud of that). Reed has worked as a rock crusher foreman for Burggraf Construction. His work has taken him away from home often to many parts of Idaho and Wyoming. Sometimes when the children were small and not in school, I packed them up and went along, living in a travel trailer so we could share some time with Dad. Playing house was fun for all of us.

Church has played a big part in my life and I have served in many organizations and callings. Those I particularly liked were the ones that involved the children.

I am an avid reader. Presently I am reading a patriotic series of books about the Revolutionary War and the founding of our nation. It is with great anticipation that I await the next book in the series. I have a great love for America and consider myself a patriot. I love to cook, and enjoy making quilts. It has been my pleasure to make T.V. throws depicting the seasons of the year for our grandchildren. Trips have taken us many times to Utah and Oregon to see the children and grandchildren.

Donald Frank Reno

WY 82604

Spouse: Ruth (Oswald)
Married June 17, 1958 (45 Years)
Children: (4) Don Jr., Donetta, Barbara and Louise
Foster Children: (2) Ron and Judy
Grandchildren: (28)
I served in the US Army.
Served a LDS Mission in the Southwest Indian Mission.
Education: Degrees – B.A., Masters & PHD in Education & Administration.
Life Sketch: I have lived in Idaho, Oregon & Wyoming. I have always been active in the church, serving as a Bishop, Bishops Councilor, Stake Mission President, High Councilor (3) times. Taught Seminary and many classes & groups. I was in charge of the scouting program in our area.
Profession: Education. Principal (4times) Superintendent of Schools twice, in Oregon and Idaho.

am currently retired.

Melvin Dean Ricks Class of 1953

Bonsall, Calif. 92003

Spouse: Loretta Hales, Spanish Fork, Ut.

(7) Children Marilee, Kendell, Kelly, Mathew
Edward, Pamela, and Elizabeth

Grandchildren (16)

Education: Ricks College, Utah State Univ. BS St. Louis Univ. D.D.S.

Mission to Australia (1955-1957) Went around the world.
Lived in Logan, Utah and went to Utah State Univ. Graduated and worked at Thiokol as an Electrical Engineer before deciding to go to dental school. Lived in St. Louis, Mo. While attending dental school. Lived in Colorado Springs, Colorado while serving at Fort Carson, in the Army Dental Corp. During the Vietnam War. Moved to Glendale, California and practiced dentistry from 1969-1998 and lived in La Canada, Calif for 30 years. Moved to Fallbrook for clean ocean air it is a small farming community (the avocado capital of the USA) by Oceanside and Camp Pendleton.

At the present I practice dentistry part time with my son Kendell and we have a dental office at the Lawrence Welk Resort in Escondido.

My hobby is building exclusive homes and driving a tractor.

Temple worker in the L.A. Temple for 15 Years. Now going on 5 years working in The San Diego Temple.

Ronald Rigby
St. Alexandria VA 22314

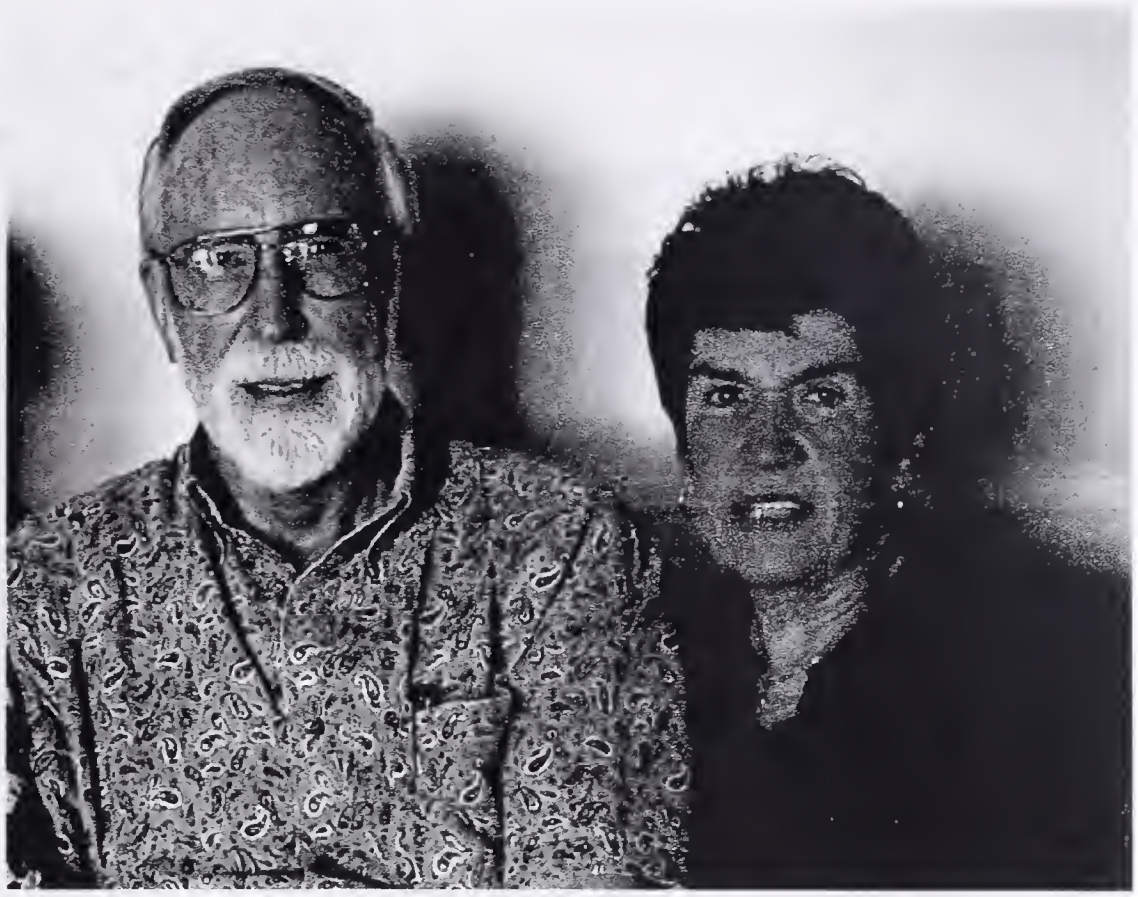
Spouse: Hazel
Children: JON,
Grand Children: (2)

50's and 60's – After graduating from the 'old' Madison High (with the "Knotty Nine" et.al.) I attended the 'old' four-year Ricks College and then finished with a B.S. in Political Science from 'old' B.Y.U. Went to San Francisco on a mission and returned to attend the University of Utah, where I met Hazel. On Dec. 23, 1960, I married Hazel Ruth Davis, of Salem, Utah. (I'm not sure about her decision, but it was the best decision I ever made!) Got a Master's Degree from Utah and then moved east to the University of Minnesota. Lived there five years – as student and staffer: I worked for the Dean of Students as Fraternity Advisor. It was there that our son Jon Merrill was born – in 1961. (He's a Super Son, Super Father, and he's even promised not to store us in the attic when we're old and feeble.) In '65 I came to Washington as a Presidential Management Intern with the Navy Dept. Continued as a Budget Analyst working in program offices and Comptroller Offices in various Navy 'Commands.' Hazel became a faculty member at Alexandria's T. C. Williams High School – of "Remember the Titans" fame.

70's and 80's – Received my PhD in Political Science from Minnesota in '73. In '74 we bought our second, current home in Old Town Alexandria. (Second best decision) Hazel earned a Master's Degree from Virginia Tech. In '78 I was one of 40 nationally selected for a Fed'l Exec. Development Program. In '80 Jon graduated from Virginia Tech, in guess what? Poly Sci! Hey! Surely that isn't all that happened that decade?!

90's – Jon married Carol Shycoff of Bowie, Maryland, in 1990. She is charming, bright, and a good match for Jon. The marriage created an all-American Jewish/ Catholic/Mormon extended family. In 1991 our first grandchild, Alexandra Ruth, was born; she's just finished the fifth grade; she is bright and beautiful; thoughtical; a real joy all of us treasure. That same year Mother, whom most of you will remember, died at 100 "and not a day older" as she had promised. Hazel retired in '95. Our second grandchild, Steven Bennett, was born in '96; a third-grader-to-be he is precocious, curious, bright; one-of-a-kind. In '97 I retired from the Navy Department.

CURRENTLY – Hazel and I still live at 330 North Pitt Street in Alexandria. We have another wonderful family member: Victor, a bossy 3-year-old Standard Schnauzer who really keeps us on our toes! Jon and family are living in Bowie, Maryland (25 miles away). He works for the Department of Energy – and deals with the Arco "site" as part of his budgetary responsibilities. After some part-time work with Contractors, Hazel is truly 'retired/retired.' I have several jobs, all teaching: Instructor ('hired gun'/consultant) for Management Concepts, a training company here in Virginia; Adjunct Professor in the Graduate School of Public Affairs at American University in Washington, D.C.; part-time employee for Gryphon Inc. in suburban



Lorraine Rowe (Pankratz)

Thousand Oaks CA 91360

Spouse: Ben Pankratz
Children: (2) Alisa, Scott.

After graduating from Madison High, I made my way to Montana, Arizona and ultimately to California staying with relatives along the way. I have made my home in California for the past forty-five years.
Alisa lives close by in Newbury Park. Our son lives in Missoula MT. For half the year and in Costa Rica from Feb to June working with giant sea turtles on nesting beaches.

I worked for a few years in the aerospace industry, but, went back to school and became a Chiropractor. I practiced in Simi Valley, for about 10 years, Ben in the meantime, was an engineer at such places as Hughes, Litton, etc.

About 15 yearsa ago, I sold my practice, Ben quit his job, and we bought a custom picture frame shop and art gallery.
Ben was born and raised in Gresham, OR, His father owned a paint and wallpaper store and did picture framing and he likes working with wood. So it was a good fit. We moved the shop into a much larger facility and is doing well. It has been an interesting business.
Alisa came to work at the store about ten years ago, after she graduated from college, we turned the business over to her three years ago. We are still involved and work there three or four days a week.
We like to snow ski and hike. We ski at Mammoth Mountain three or four times a year. Also a week here and there at some major ski area.
We have done some traveling in recent years. We have been to many places in the World.

Bonnie Sellers
Bonnie Sellers Hammond
, North Salt Lake, Utah 84054
E-mail

BONNIE SELLERS HAMMOND

Where do I begin to tell the exciting story of Bonnie Sellers Hammond.
It's surely not been boring! I went to dear Ricks College and it was oh so much fun!
I met that handsome Mel Hammond.
Since then it's been run, run, run!!

I waited at home while he served on a mission.
He learned Spanish and that has made most of our decisions.
The Salt Lake Temple was the sweet place of our marriage
And then came cute Melanie in a little baby carriage.

Then on to school at the great BYU.
I worked at the Geneva Steel to help get us through.
After teaching seminary, institute and we got some degrees,
We made it back to dear'ole Ricks and the good Rexburg **breeze**!!

We loved the legislature and our experiences there.
After 16 years we were called, our testimonies to share.
As we went to "Special Bolivia," to take care of "His" sheep,
These dear beloved missionaries, they are ours to keep!

We were called to go to Ecuador as a General Authority.
Wow, guess its onward and upward to gain the victory.
Was it really hard to leave our new home on the hill?
Heck no, it's just brick and mortar, "We've got a kingdom to build!"

Then to gorgeous Mexico for four beautiful years.
When we left for Argentina, we did shed a few tears.
In Chile at our home, we hosted President Hinckley and his wife.
The rolls raised, lemon pie... well, they seemed to love every slice.

We have six children and 26 grandchildren we've gained.
Our son Todd teaches at Ricks–it's like starting all over again.
We are back in Salt Lake now, Mel is over the Young Men.
We want to say, "We love you," each one is truly our friend.

Verla Sharp

Boise, ID 83704

Spouse: Brent Westover
Children: (2) Brenda, Mike
Spouse: Dean Christensen
Children: (2) Deanene, Miles
Spouse: Bob Allen

Grandchildren: (14)

I married Brent Westover while still in High School and so never finished. Brent was killed in an automobile accident in 1960, which left me alone with two small children. Dean Christensen and I were married in 1961, and he adopted my children. We had two more children together. Having been raised as an only child, Dean had a hard time with the children and decided to leave us. Even since my marriage to Bob Allen in 1972, Dean and I have remained friends, and he comes back to be with us at all our family parties. This has helped the kids keep a close relationship with their Dad. We also have maintained a close relationship with the Westover family.

We have our own service station on Broadway in Boise. I helped in the business for 15 years, until I took my mother, who had Alzheimer's disease, into our home to care for her. Following her death I didn't want to go back to the station to work.. I am really involved with my children and taking care of grandkids. That leaves just time enough to take care of my yard, which I enjoy.

Because of arthritis I have had to give up the crocheting and the knitting which I loved to do. I also love to read.

Bob's customers are his life. He is so good with them. Some one asked me the other day if I was married or single. I started to say married and on the second thought I said, "Single. My husband is married to his service station and his customers."

Mary Danette Simmons (Johnson)
Deceased July 11,1994

Rigby – Mary Danette Johnson, 59, a homemaker, died July 11, 1994, at her home near Rigby following a lingering illness.

She was born Oct. 25, 1934 at Ucon, to Daniel and Mary Ether Garner Simmons. She attended Rexburg schools.

On Jan. 16 1952, she married Keith L. Johnson at Blackfoot. She was a member of the LDS Church. She played the piano and accordion and enjoyed camping.

Survivors include her husband of Rigby; children, Debora Campbell of Chugiak, Alaska, Mrs. Roger (Ann) Henric of Idaho Fallls and Val L. Johnson of Mesa, Ariz.; a sister and brother, Mrs. George (Virgina) Dent of Salt Lake City and Garner Simmons of Teton; five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Thursday at 11 a.m. at Eckersell Memorial Chapel in Rigby with Bishop LaVerl Womack officiating. The family will vist with friends at the funeral home Wednesday from 6 to 7:30 p.m. and Thursday for one hour before services. Burial will be in Ririe-Shelton Cemetery.

Contributed by Sister Virginia:
Mary developed bronchitis at age of two. Her Mother wasn't sure she would live. I remember her setting by the crib hour after hour anxiously watching and taking care of Mary. Fortunately she pulled through.
The thing I remember most about her was her musical talent. She learned to play the violin and was very good at it. She and I used to sing duets together. Our voices blended very harmoniously and we were asked to sing often. She also learned to play the accordion. She was very good on the piano. I think she could have played any instrument she decided to.

Mary had a keen mind and used to watch TV game shows. She had such a good sense of humor and contagious laugh. She was also noted as a good cook.

Mary drove the school bus for the Jefferson School District for several years. She seemed to be able to keep the kids in tow which was no small task.

Mary was a very talented and capable person.

Betty Smith

Hillsboro, OR 97124

Spouse: Ken Carlson

Children: (3) Kelvin (deceased), Linda, Beth Ann
Grandchildren: (4)

I went to Business School in Idaho Falls for one year following High School and then was married to Ken Carlson. I have been a full-time mother and grandmother.

My husband was drafted into the Army and served in Germany. It was quite an experience to follow him and to spend a year living there. Our oldest son was born in Germany. After returning home we made our home in Blackfoot where my husband worked as a commercial electrician at the INEL and other businesses. In November of 2002 we moved to Hillsboro, Oregon, so as to be closer to our daughters and their families who both live near here.

Through the years we have always raised a big vegetable garden as well as strawberries and raspberries. It has been nice to can and freeze what we have raised. My eyesight has gotten bad the last few years, so I have had to give up crocheting as a hobby.

One of our daughters served an LDS mission to New Zealand and we were able to go there and return home with her. It was a beautiful place to go, but such a long airplane trip. After my husband's retirement, we have enjoyed short vacation trips in the Idaho regional area.

I've enjoyed working in the church, especially with the children. I have always thought of myself as a background person and not one to lead out.

Brent Smith

Deceased February 23, 1980

Services for Ross Brent Smith 53, of Idaho Falls who died Feb., 23 1980, at Eastern Idaho Regional Medical Center in Idaho Falls following a lingering illness, were to be conducted Monday at Flamm funeral Home in Rexburg. Burial will be in the Rexburg Cemetery.

He was born Sept. 28, 1935, in Rexburg, a son of Ross and Pauline Erickson Smith. He graduated in 1953 from Madison High School in Rexburg and attended Ricks College in Rexburg and Brigham Young University in Provo, Utah.

As a youth, he was active in Boy Scouts and participated in the 1950 National Jamboree in Valley Forge, Pa.

He married Connie Rasmussen Oct. 28, 1958, in the Idaho Falls LDS temple.

He was a Member of the LDS Church and served a 2 ½ year mission to New Zealand where he helped build the New Zealand Temple.

He served in the Army Reserve as a clerk typist.

He farmed on the Rexburg Bench and at Canyon Creek until his retirement in 1975. The couple lived in Rexburg until 1988 when they moved to Idaho Falls.

He is survived by his wife of Idaho Falls; Daughters, Kelle Erickson of Archer, Leslie Merrill and Alisa Smith both of Rexburg; his mother of Rexburg; a sister Karma Parkin of Rexburg; and four grandaughters.

Jean Smith Miller
(Summer address)

Richfield, Utah 84701

(Winter Address)

Beaver Dam, Arizona 86432

My husbands name is Robert Lloyd Miller. We met in Las Vegas and have two children. Rhett Lloyd Miller and Kara Lynne Miller. Rhett lives in Logan with his wife and three children. Two of them are theirs and one is hers before the marriage. So I have two very sweet grandchildren and a third that is just like mine and we love her very much. Our daughter Kara lives in Prove and is not married yet but a very pretty girl and works very. Hard and just to brag a little takes darn good care of her mother.

As far as my professional career I never attended college -after all I barely made it through High School. However I've had some very interesting jobs along the way and made some good friends.

I worked in several banks -two in California and one in Las Vegas that I thoroughly enjoyed. Starting as a proof marching operator then done inside auditing then Operation Officer secretary.

After a couple of years Bob went back to school at the "Y" and I quit and stayed home and was finally blest with two beautiful children. And to be a stay at home mom was great. I did some volunteer work for the school and with good neighbors we had a little pre-school for our children.

When my children started High School it made me lonely for them, so I went to work full time at Pearson Tire for 10 years. The opportunity to work at the courthouse as deputy clerk so I took the opportunity for a better job (good benefits). After a couple of years the county auditor wanted me as the county clerk retired so I transferred over there. Then the deputy auditor retired so I transferred over there, they were all good jobs and I learned a lot (except how to work these darned new fangled computers.
I retired- Bob retired several years before me and we became snowbirds which is a very interesting life but I miss my family the most.

If I don't make it to the reunion have fun and lots of luck to all of you.

Jean Miller

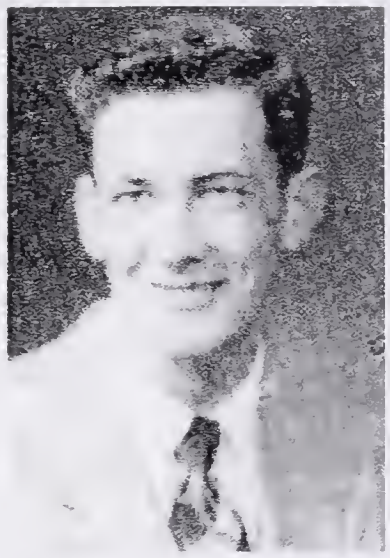
Reva Smith (George)

Kaysville, UT 84037

Spouse: Revell George
Children: Bryan (deceased), ReNae, DeAnne, Karyn, 'Lene, Michelle.
Grandchildren: (8)

I received a Batchelor's Degree (Education) from BYU in 1958
Married Revell George in the Idaho Falls Temple Aug. 28, 1959

He worked for J.C. Penny then he returned to Weber College for a 2nd Degree in education in 1965. We both taught in the Davis School District for nearly 30 years. I taught Jr. High and High School English, and Elementary School grades 3-6.
We have lived in Provo, Murray, Ogden, Rock Springs, WY. We settled down in Kaysville, UT in 1966. My husband and 4 children have served LDS missions.
My hobbies are reading, sewing, quilting, piano, watercolor painting and loving my family. Especially our grandchildren. We love church service.
The most exciting travel was to the Netherlands to pick up one daughter from her mission in 1984. Besides Amsterdam, we traveled in London, Copenhagen, Stockholm, Helsinke. 6 days in the Soviet Union, Warsaw, Berlin, then home.
We also went to Pennsylvania by motor home to pick up another daughter from her mission, eight years ago.



Richard Smith

Long Beach CA 90808

Spouse: Myrna (Now divorced)
Children: (3) Terry, Sheri, and Debbie
Grand Children: (13)
Great Grandchildren: (2)

After High School I attended the trade tech at Idaho State College in Electronics.
I then decided to go into the nursing field. I was at Idaho State then transferred to Montana.
I have received my RN with a BSN degree.
I have lived in Huntington Beach CA. then moved to Long Beach and have lived here the last 32 years.
I am now retired from nursing and HOSPI care.
I have kept busy with drawing as an artist, I still play the piano, do some gardening and handcraft.
I enjoy the children and grandchildren
Currently I am recovering from major surgery and unable to attend the Reunion.
Best wishes to all and hope you have a grand time.

Information provide by daughter Terrie from the hospital as Richard is in the hospital and in serious condition.

Carrol Sommer (Moore)

Teton City, ID

Spouse: Charley Moore
Children: (3) Ronnie, Patty, Dirk
Grandchildren: 10
Great-grandchildren: (1)

My husband was a brick layer and we made our home in Teton City. He passed away in 1991 and I continue to live in the home that we shared I began working for the LDS Church as a custodian and remained so employed for 20 years, retiring in 1997.

I have always been active in church, serving in many capacities. I especially enjoyed working as a counselor in the Relief Society. Since I retired I served a full-time Church Education System mission in Salt Lake City.

My hobbies are camping, *camping,* and CAMPING. A sister, a brother and I own a lot in Island Park together, where I have a camp trailer. I stay there as often and as long as possible each summer. Working at a local grocery store in Teton City brings me home one day a week. Oh, I almost forgot, I do enjoy crocheting along with my camping.

S. Dwight Spaulding

Rexburg, Idaho 83440

Present address:
California Los Angeles Mission

Los Angeles, Ca 90024

Cristy Lee Dillman (Dave), Michael Dwight Spaulding (Kim Thompson), Carla Healey, Melanie Eckman (Todd).
Greg Fullmer, Kristy Jo Fullmer Weichers (Todd)
Chad Spaulding, Julie Spaulding Hawkins (Danny) Angela Spaulding

We have had two sons, Greg and Chad and a son- in- law, Danny graduate from Harvard University Business with their Master degree. Greg served as Student Body President while attending Harvard.
Mike graduated from Utah State in accounting.
Cristy Lee graduated occupational therapy
Kristy Jo graduated from BYU with a degree in Education
Angela and Melanie finished school as hair dressers. They each have a business of their own.
Julie graduated from USC with a Masters degree in psychology. She now works in that field.

20 Grandchildren and one due in September (Julie and Danny Hawkins)

2 Great Grandchildren due in September

Educated on the farm. I have lived there all my life.

Married Geraldine Moore and had four children. Divorced in 1970 after 17 years of marriage. Farmed in partnership with my father in Burton. Purchased the farm in 1969. Married Sheralyn Fullmer in 1971. After several years we acquired three neighboring farms. We continued to milk a herd of registered Holstein until the year 2000. After selling the cows I farmed one more year and then retired. We left March 2002 to serve an 18 month Mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in Los Angeles. I am serving as the financial secretary and housing coordinator for the Mission and my wife is serving a secretary to the Mission President. Our plans for the future are undecided at this present time.

Our hobbies are traveling –we have had two trips to Europe visiting several different countries there. We took a cruise to the Caribbean's. We have been to New Zealand, Australia, and Hawaii. We have had cross country trips across the United States seeing many different states. Our greatest enjoyment is our family.

Due to the Mission call we will be unable to attend this year, but we will be thinking about you and wishing we could be there. Tell everyone Hi, and hope to see you in the year 2008.

S. Dwight Spaulding

Ada Lou Sutton (Howell)

Rexburg, ID 83440

Spouse: Reed Howell
Children: (6) Rock, Kristine, Scott, Jeffrey, Pamela, Rebecca
Grandchildren: (19) with (1) on the way
Great-grandchildren: (7)

Following graduation I attended L.D.S. Nursing School in Idaho Falls where I received my Registered Nursing Degree. After marrying Reed Howell, we lived in Logan while he studied and received his degree in Forestry. We have lived in several places and states including Moab, Utah; Klamath Falls, Oregon; Pamona, California; and Montana.

Reed worked in forestry for a while and then went into banking. He also went to helicopter pilot school in Lebanon, Oregon. In 1988 we came back to Archer where I worked full-time as a nurse. After my retiring in 1998, Reed and I began driving truck as team drivers. These long haul trips take us all over the United States.

I play the organ and the piano, both for my own enjoyment and at church. Having always been active in church I have served in many positions, including Relief Society President and Ward Organist. I also enjoy quilt-making. We love to spend time with our children and grandchildren.

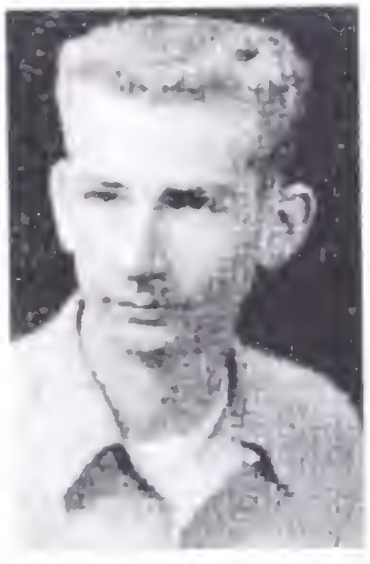
Doug Swendsen

Springville, UT 84663

I am married to Karin (Johnson) from Sugar City. I have two children, Mike & Michelle and have 6 grandsons, ages 13, 10, 6, 5, 5, & 2. I attended Ricks College from 1953-56 then attended BYU and earned a BS & MS in Physical Ed. I served in the US Army from 1957-59 and then served a mission to Central States 1960-62. I taught P.E. courses and served as assistant golf coach and assistant ski director at BYT 1966-68. I taught skiing at Sundance and Alta Ski Schools 1965-1985, played on BYU's golf team 1963-1965. I retired in 1997 after teaching Jr. High/Middle School in Provo, UT for 29 years.

Currently I own a golf tournament score sheet supply business (I have been doing this for the last 21 years, to keep me busy!) I enjoy playing golf and fishing, but hunting interest has pretty much faded away, (kind of like my memory!) I am looking forward to spending time with my 6 grandsons, helping them grow and progress.

I am looking forward to seeing all of you other "Old Fogey's" in July!



GERALD LYNN TAYLOR
REXBURG, ID 83440

Spouse - Gae Connell Taylor
Children - David, Leslie, Lynda, Bruce, Julie & Michael
Grandchildren - 24
Education - Bachelor of Science from BYU Utah
Brief life sketch - I have spent my entire business career in Rexburg. I did have the opportunity to serve two missions, one in Hawaii and the other one in the West Indies Mission.
Profession & retirement - I presently own Taylor Chevrolet in Rexburg and Axtell-Taylor GM in Logan with my two sons. We do have a home in St. George Utah where we spend considerable time.
Hobbies - Reading, golf and fly fishing.
Interesting places & things I have done - I have spent all my life in Rexburg. We have traveled and toured exotic places but the best thing we have done is raise six wonderful children.

Faye Thomas (Euteneier)
Yakima, WA 98908

Spouse: Max Euteneier
Children: (3)
Grand Children (7)

We are retired and now living in Yakima, WA.
We were apple growers until 1998. We now spend our time fishing and skiing the Northwest and Canada. Of course, we visit the Children and Grandchildren who live in Idaho, California, Nevada and Texas.

Charles Anthony Thomason

Deceased June 30, 1980

Rexburg – Charles Anthony Thomason. 45, an American Foods Supervisor, of Rexburg died Wednesday at his home.

He was born Jan. 3, 1935 at Independence the son of Charles And Doralee Anderson Thomason. Mr. Thomason was a member of the LDS Church. He was Valedictorian of his eight-grade graduating class. He attended Rexburg Schools. He was a great story teller. He used to make working in the potatoes interesting using the surrounding people as the charters in the story. Everyone enjoyed working with Tony.

He married Glenda McCain Oct. 25, 1963.

He attended the Border Patrol Academy and graduated with high honors. He served on the Mexican and Canadian boarder Patrol.

He was supervisor for American Foods, Rogers Division, where he was employed for 15 years. Survivors include his widow, Glenda of Rexburg, One daughter, Dorinda and one son, Charles Derek and two grandchildren, His parents Charles and Doralee Thomason of Burton, five brothers; Wilford Warren Thomason,, Byron Talmage Thomason of Burton, Nicholas Andie Tomason, Roger Lee Thomason and Gred Vincent Thomason all of Thornton. Three Sisters; Lolita Shirley of Salem,Lynnea Halley of Salt Lake City, Utah and Anne Marie Neveille of Hailey.

Burial will be at Burton Cemetery.

Jo Ann Thompson

Worth, Illinois 60482

Spouse: John Kostial (divorced)
Children: (5) Michael, Leisa, Jeffery, Randy, Tim
Grandchildren: (7)
Great grandchildren: (1)

Soon after high school graduation, Margaret Melendez and I decided to join the military and enlisted in the Air Force. I met my husband while in the military and after our marriage, I resigned and stayed at home to be a mother and homemaker. We made our home in Chicago, but were later divorced when our last child was in high school.

Since my divorce I have worked at a number of different jobs, but finally found one that is very dear to me. I manage a snack shop at a small Christian College in the Chicago area where I love being with the kids who come in. The association I have with the young people tends to keep me young. Of course, I also enjoy my grandchildren.

My mother, 3 brothers, a son and married grandson still live in Thornton and the Rexburg area, so I get back once in a while to visit. I plan to retire in Idaho when that time comes. My hope is to turn my hobby of making pinecone wreaths into a business one day following my retirement. I have made many wreaths that I have sold or exchanged for services. When my children were young, I was active in the P.T.A. With many interests which include reading, watching videos, and movies, I am never bored.

PATTY TOPHAM THOMPSON
Fruit Heights, UT 84037

In June of 1956 I married Leland Thompson, an Air Force pilot, in the Idaho Falls Temple. The next 21 years found us in seven different locations - 5 stateside and 2 foreign countries. Living in England and Spain provided many choice memories with the cultural changes, travel, and Church experiences. And with the foreign country living and military ties it has given me an appreciation for the goodness, beauty, and opportunities of the United States. I am truly grateful to be an American!

After Leland's Air Force retirement we moved to Rexburg for one year and the last 25 years have been in Fruit Heights, Utah. Private, Air Force, and corporate flying gave Leland 50 years in aviation while I have been a stay at home Mom.

We have been richly blessed with 5 wonderful children - 1 daughter and 4 sons. All sons - Jett, Brett, Jerome, and Lance - have served missions and Janet had a BYU study abroad in Israel. And we have19 vibrant and cherished grandchildren.

We had plans for a Church mission but I suffered an auto accident 14 years ago and the resulting traumatic brain injury dashed those dreams. But life is still full, rich, and enjoyable.

I have many fond memories of Madison High and truly look forward to this class reunion.

Bert C. Trost

Salt Lake City, UT 84106

Life has been great, filled with challenges, sadness and sorrow, happiness and joy. I graduated from the University of Hardknox with a degree in retail marketing. My father was killed in a farm accident when I was ten. My mother left the farm, moving the family into the town of Rexburg. When I was twelve, I started working for Nyle Brown at O. P. Skaggs grocery store on weekends until High School graduation. At this time, my mother remarried and moved to Salt Lake City, Utah. I was able to get a job with Safeway Stores where I worked my way up through the ranks becoming a store manager and managed several stores in the Salt Lake Valley. After twenty years with Safeway, I left to become a sales representative in the food brokerage business. I continued in this field until I retired.

My mother moved into the Taylorsville Ward where I met my wife, Lois Swensen, at church. We have five sons and daughters; Scott and Cindy Trost, Cathy and Dan Church, Melanie and Jim Carter, Nancy and Danny Boore, and Rodney and Stacey Trost. We have twenty-six grandchildren twenty-three living. Three families live in Salt Lake Valley, one in Axtell, Utah and one in Henderson, Nevada.

Our lives revolve around family and church. Family traditions include three reunions each summer. Trost reunion at Lava Hot Springs, Swensen reunion at Cherry Hills camp ground, and a First Cousins reunion at Vernal, Utah (Lois had eleven aunts and uncles). With our children and families, we go to St George each Easter and go to a cabin in Fairview for Memorial Day. Other activities we enjoy are traveling, camping, bowling and gardening. We have been on many great tours, covering most of the United States and a little of Canada and Nova Scotia. We try to get to most of the grandchildren's activities; plays, dances, piano recitals, and ball games, etc.

We have lived in the same home for forty-one years, but have been in three different wards and a medical branch. I had the privilege of serving as a counselor in the branch presidency at St Marks Hospital and Doxey Hatch Nursing Home for five years. Quite an experience and very rewarding. Other church calling have included Cub Scout Master and Boy Scout leader, ward financial clerk, activity chairman under two bishoprics, ward PFR and have been currently serving as High Priest secretary.

Warren Topham

Chubbuck, ID 83202

Spouse: Linda McNee

Children: (5) Barry; Blaine (deceased); (twins), Joette, and Nicolette (deceased); Kirk
Grandchildren: (4)

I went to B.Y.U, then to Ricks. Then it was into the Navy for two years and then back to Ricks. For three years I attended Idaho State Votech where I studied electronics. As my occupation I worked in Pocatello for Union Pacific as a railroad electrician until I fell apart, that is got old and worn out. I retired at age 65.

I have lived in the Pocatello and Chubbuck areas all my married life. After we were married I joined the L.D.S. church and have been somewhat active. As to my hobbies, I guess it is "getting up in the morning." I am what you would call a real couch potato. I have never seen all of Idaho so I see no need to travel.

Mary Vollman Hansen, Pocatello, Idaho 83201

Spouse: Terry L. Hansen (Bonneville H.S. '53)

Children: Terry Jr., Kathryn (Luke), Stephen, Kristen (Winmill)

Grandchildren: 16

Education: B.S. in Home Economics Education, Utah State Univ. 1957

After graduating from Utah State in 1957, I taught Home Economics at Soda Springs High School for one year before marrying Terry Hansen in the Idaho Falls Temple on July 11, 1958. We made our first home in Evanston, Illinois , a suburb north of Chicago, while Terry attended Northwestern University Medical School. I worked for River States Oil Company until our first child was born, and then worked for American Hospital Supply Corporation until he graduated. We then moved to Portland, Oregon and the University of Oregon Medical Center for an internship year and the birth of our second child, Kathy. The U.S. Navy sent us to Pocatello where Terry filled his military obligation as a medical officer in the Nuclear Power Training Unit. We then moved back to Portland and the University of Oregon for residency training. I taught school in the Portland Public School system for three years. In 1967 we moved back to Pocatello where Terry set up his practice in ophthalmology and where our next two children, Stephen and Kristen were born. We have lived in Pocatello for 35 years with a two year break when we served a mission in the Philippines Manila Mission. We have a cabin on Bills Island in Island Park where we try to spend most of our summer months and where we like to entertain our children and grandchildren. Our children have been scattered far from us but are gradually moving closer to home. We are still scattered from Lincoln, California to Omaha, Nebraska and places in between, but that's still an improvement from what it has been. Life is good and we are grateful for our family and all the many blessings we enjoy in this wonderful land.

Jack Waddel

Deceased March 9, 1981

Jack Waddel

TUCSON, Ariz. -Jack William Waddel, 45 former Rexburg and Idaho falls resident, died March 9, 1981 in Tucson Ariz. From cancer .

He was born June 9,1935 at Salt Lake City to John Wesley and Merle Spurrier Waddel. He was raised in Rexburg Idaho by his mother and step-father, the late Bill Hyde. He graduated from Madison High School, Ricks College, and completed extension work through BYU and Pima Community College at Tucson.

He married Donetta Burns Oct 19, 1956 in Rexburg. The marriage was solemnized in the Idaho Falls LDS Temple Feb. 16, 1974. They lived in Idaho Falls, at which time he worked at the Atomic Energy Site.

They moved to Carlin, Nev., in 1965, where he worked for Newmont Mining Company, In 1974, they moved to Tucson, Ariz. where he was employed as a process control engineer for Newmont Services Limited.

Mr. Waddell was an active member of the LDS Church and served as Bishop of the Carlin, Nev., LDS Ward. He was a High Priest and at the time of his death, served

as ward finance clerk in Tucson.

Survivors include his wife, Donetta: four sons, Leslie of Tucson, Matt, serving an LDS mission in Italy, Darin and Shane of the family home: his mother, Merl Hyde of Rexburg, two half-brothers, Randy and Scott Hyde of Rexburg; his father, John W. Waddel of Wilmington, Calif.; his grand-mother Maud Waddel of Imperial Beach, Calif.

Funeral services will be held in Tucson Thursday at 10:30 A.M. and burial will be in Tucson under the direction of the Palms Mortuary.

Tom Webster

Rexburg, Idaho 83440

Tom is married to Karen Abegglen Webster. They have 4 Children, Rob, Shane,Cinda and Heidi. They have 15 grandchildren and one greatgrand daughter.

After graduating from Madison High School Tom attended Idaho State University, graduating in 1956 from the Trade and Industrial School in the field of electronics. After graduation he worked for G.E. at the INEL for 2 years. Then after working the next summer he went to work for Sperry-Rand in Salt Lake City working on the Sergant Missile . In the spring of 1960 he came back to Rexburg to work full time on the farm with his Father.

Since that time he has work on the farm growing wheat, barley, and potatoes. He has made it his life long work and he is very proud of the improvement that he has made in the farming programs on the farm. He now has both of his sons working with him and is very proud of them and the way they are carrying on the Webster tradition of being excellent farmers.

He has been semi retired for some 10 years. He and Karen spend the winter monlths in their home in Arizona where he puts the farm behind him and relaxes by doing all kinds of wood work. And just puttering around.

Tom has had the opportunity to do some interesting traveling. throughout the years. In 1975 He and Karen went to Japan to represent the United States Potato Industry at a Food Show. In 1994 they went with Rick College alumni to Russia and Israel for a month.

This year he and Karen will be serving a Mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latterday Saints in the Salt Lake City Temple Square Mission. They are beginning their Mission on the 16 of June.

Tom would like to wish the best to all of his classmates. He wishes he could be with all of you for the 50th reunion of The Madison High School Graduating Class of 1953.

Rigby Man Dies In Wreck

Boyde A. Weekes, 38, of 251 W. 1st S., Rigby, was killed late Monday evening on U.S. Highway 191, one-and-one-half miles north of Idaho Falls, when his car collided with a large truck, State Police reported.

Cpl. Thomas J. Harper said Weekes was headed north on the highway, and apparently attempted to pass a truck driven by James W. Chesak of 141 12th St., Idaho Falls. He said Weekes' car collided with the back end of the truck, after it is believed he pulled back into the lane to avoid oncoming traffic.

Weekes was taken by ambulance to an Idaho Falls hospital where doctors pronounced him dead on arrival.

Damages to the truck were estimated at $6,000.

Assisting in the investigation were Cpls. Ronald C. Hoodenpyle, Charles Duke, Ward J. Teeter, and Bonneville County Deputy Sheriff Alfred C. Fowler.

He was born March 22, 1933, at Archer, the son of Frederick and Veda McIntire Weekes. He was a member of the LDS Church and attended Archer and Rexburg schools. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army.

He was employed as a plasterer and painter in the Rexburg area and had recently been working in a potato processing plant in Idaho Falls.

He married Maxine Janson at Burton Nov. 12, 1960. He is survived by his widow of Rigby; two sons, Todd and David, at the family home in Rigby; his mother Veda Weekes, Archer; brothers: Arthur Weekes, Archer, Larry Weekes, Mountain Lakes Terrace, Wash., Clifford Weekes, Ammon, Tony Weekes, Salt Lake City, Utah; sisters: S. Joe (Jane) McRae, and Mrs. John (Leola) McRae, both of Thornton, Mrs. Rex (Rosella) Paulsen, Boron, Calif., Mrs. Farnum (Nona) Young, Hanksville, Utah, Mrs. Ronald (Monella) Ropp, Rigby, Minnie Weekes, Archer.

Funeral services will be Friday at 1:30 p.m. at Archer LDS Ward with Bishop Lynn A. Jensen of the Rigby 1st LDS Ward officiating. The family will receive friends from 7:30 until 9 p.m. Thursday and Friday from noon until service time at the Relief Society room of the church. Burial will be in Archer Sutton Cemmetery under the direction of Eckersell Funeral Home.

ANN WEISER BERTOCH

Summer- Logan, Utah, 84321-

Winter- Washington, Utah, 84780-

After the big graduation from M.H.S. I attended Idaho Falls Hospital School of Nursing and really loved the work. While going to school I met and married Dan Jones on 8/14/56. We had our children, Daniel Mark, Leslie Ann and Ondolyn. Daniel works for Utah State Court System as an attorney and lives in Bountiful. Leslie is a R.N. but works at a Tennis Club in Vernon Hills, Ill. Sounds fun!! Ondolyn lives in Kearns, Utah and works as a R.N. for a IHC in Salt Lake City. The fruit does'nt fall far from the Mom's tree. We lived in Los Angelos, Calif., Tacoma,Wash., Bountiful, Utah and now in Logan. We have 6 grandchildren, growing up too fast.

I went back to school and acheived my R.N. B.S. degree from the U. of U. in 1969. When we came back to Logan, Dan taught school at Utah State University. The marriage failed in 1974 so I continued my schooling. I recieved my M.S. in Psychology from WSU-USU Nursing Program. Worked as a RN and licensed Professional Councelor at Bear River Mental Health in Logan from 1980 to 1996.

I married Michael Bertoch, who graduated from Pocatello and then got his Doctrate from Boston University. He taught 30 years at Utah State Psychology Dept. in Logan. We served a mission in Dallas, Texas in 1996-1997. Our hobbies and activities are traveling, music, reading and taking care of each other.

Carol Welker Oakey
Ray Oakey
Rexburg, ID 83440

Five Children, Eighteen Grandchildren(one deceased), Six Great-grandchildren
Leslie Rae Bedke, Maybell, Colorado
Douglas J. Oakey, Rexburg, Idaho
Lorin Clay Oakey, Salt Lake City, Utah
Steven K. Oakey, Rexburg, Idaho
Doyle Ray Oakey, North Granby, Connecticut

Our home has been in the Snake River Valley. We feel it is a good place to raise a family and find good associations. We had our own business for thirty-six years and sold it to one of our sons. He is continuing in and expanding the business. I took some extra classes at Ricks College and was office manager in the business. We have been awarded many business and professional honors both here and in the industry. Since retiring we have worked on the South Rim of the Grand Canyon and have served three missions. We have traveled in the United States and abroad and made friends in many places. The thing that we enjoy doing is becoming acquainted with new people and seeing the way other cultures live. I personally enjoy reading, cooking and entertaining. Life is Great!

HENRY C. WHITTAKER

Has it really been fifty years since we graduated from Madison High School? I look back with many fond memories of those years and my association with all of you.

After graduation I attended Ricks College for two years prior to serving a mission to the Gulf States. (Texas, Louisiana & Mississippi)

Upon returning to Rexburg I joined the US Army Reserve and had a six-month vacation at Fort Ord, California. I then moved to Southern California where I have resided since.

I am married to a lovely woman and we have eight children, 27 grandchildren and 2 great- grand children.

I have held many positions in the LDS Church and have enjoyed them all. At present my wife and I are the Family History Consultants for our ward.

The last twenty-five years I worked for an office furniture manufacturer as the Vice President and General Manager.

We are now retired and busier than ever.

We hope to see all of you at this reunion and many more to come.

Kay Wilding

Boise, ID 83709

Married in 1955 and divorced in 1976.
Children: (2) Sallee New (Crowley, LA), Dave Jensen (Boise ID)
Grandchildren: (4)
Great Grandchildren (1)

Attended 1 year at Ricks College and computer classes at Boise State College.

I have worked for 30 years as an administrative assistant for the State of Idaho. Retired in 1995

Have lived in Rexburg; Idaho Falls; Dallas, TX; Grand Forks ND; Detroit Lakes, MN; Mission City, BC Canada and Boise ID.

Hobbies: Travel, Travel and Travel. Visited half of the States including Hawaii and Alaska (Juneau, Sitka, and Skagway), Mexico (Tacate, Sonora, San Felipe, Tiajuana, Cancun, Yucatan Penninsula including Mayan ruins) Baltic Sea cruise) England, Germany, Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Finland, St. Petersburg Russia and Estonia. China (Beijing, J'Lan, Guilling and Shanghai).

George Arliss Willmore

Deceased August 1, 1988

Services for George Arliss Willmore, 53 of Rexburg, who died Aug. 1, 1988, at Madison Memorial Hospital of an apparent heart attack, will be conducted Friday, Aug 5, at 1 p.m. at Rexburg LDS North Stake Center by Bishop Wylie Powell of the Hibbard LDS 1st Ward.

Friends may call Thursday, Aug. 4, from 7-9:30 p.m. at Flamm Funeral Home in Rexburg and Friday at the church from noon to 12:45 p.m.

Burial will be in the Rexburg Cemetery.

He was born June 4, 1935, in Hibbard, a son of Ephriam and Viola Rigby Willmore.

He grew up in the Hibbard area and attended Hibbard Elementary School. He graduated from Madison High School in Rexburg in 1953. He graduated from Ricks College in Rexburg and the University of Idaho in Moscow where he received a commission as second lieutenant in the Army. In 1961.

He also did graduate work at George Washington University in Washington. D. C.

He was a member of the LDS Church and served a mission in the Southern states from 1956-1958.

He married Judy Carleen Jones Aug. 14, 1958, in the Idaho Falls LDS temple. He served in various church positions including bishop of the Ricks College LDS 15th Ward and as district president in Call, Colombia.

He served in the military in Germany and served two tours of duty in Vietnam as a helicopter pilot. He was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, 22 air medals, two Army commendation medals and the Bronze Star. While in Vietnam, he was drafted as a primary candidate for Congress.

He lived in Colombia where he was an aviation and procurement offices for Potlatch Forests. After returning to Rexburg, he organized and operated his own business.

He was inducted into the Ricks College Athletic Hall of Fame in 1983.

He was serving as chairman of the Madison County Ambulance Board and the Ricks College Veterans Centennial Memorial Committee at the time of his death.

Survivors include his wife of Rexburg: Children, Elizabeth Willmore, Berkeley J. Willmore and Scott E. Willmore, all of Rexburg, Michael T. Willmore of Logan, Utah, and Paul J. Willmore of Brea, Calif.; his father of Rexburg; brothers and sisters, Rigby E. Wilmore and Harlo B. Willmore, both of Rexburg, Mrs. Harold (Letha) Bateman and Mrs. Andrew (Verla) Polson, both of Idaho Falls, Mrs. Percy (Betty) Vickrey, Mary Hamilton and Marva Sperber, all of Lewiston, and Mrs. Dan (Martha) Goodman of Anchorage, Alaska; and six grandchildren.

His mother and sister precede him in death.

GARTH WILSON

DONNELLY, IDAHO 83615

Spouses Names: Marilyn Harris 1961-1980, Betty Doar 1984-Now

Names of Children: Suzanne, Steve, Melody, Katie & Wanda,
Step-Children: Darrell, Scott & Vicki

Grandchildren: 15

Great-Grandchildren: 6

Education: Madison High 3 years and GED

Drafted into the US Army for 2 years.

I worked as a auto mechanic for car dealerships for a number of years, then owned and operated my own auto mechanic shop and also owned and operated a used car lot. I started Garths Auto Accessories in 1984 which was a mobile auto accessory business, which my current wife and I owned and operated until October of 1999, when we sold out and retired.

I lived and worked in Rexburg & Idaho Falls and also in San Lorenzo, California, moved to Boise in 1978 and after retirement moved to Donnelly, Idaho for the summers and go south in the winter, usually to Quartzsite, Arizona.

My hobbies are traveling on my motorcycle with my wife, camping, and working and showing old Studebakers, which are daily drivers, 1964 Studebaker Avanti, and a 1953 Studebaker Commander Coupe.

In the past 17 years that my current wife and I have been married, we have traveled most of the US and Western Canada and most of the travels have been on our motorcycles pulling our motorcycle tent camper. Last year we took our motor home and went to South Bend, Indiana for the 150th anniversary of Studebakers, what a great car show, they had over 900 Studebakers at the concourse at Notre Dame.

Don Winn

Mtn. Green, Utah 84050
, Utah 84770

Email address:

Spouses Name: Joan Christiansen Winn

Name of Children: Brad; Jim; Chris; Rod; Lisa

Number of Grandchildren: (21)

Education: Ricks College - Associate of Science Degree
Brigham Young University - B.S. Degree in Sociology
University of Utah - Teaching/Administration Certification
Brigham Young University - Master's Degree in Counseling

Life Sketch: Served an L.D.S. mission to the East Central States. Attended School Married Sara Joan Christiansen. Taught school in Vernal, Utah for 3 years. Moved to Mountain Green, Utah and was a High School Counselor and Coach at Morgan High School for 30 years. We had 4 sons and a daughter.
It was there that we raised our family, raised horses, and raised a little Hell!
Retired in 1994 - Joan and I served a mission in Tucson, Arizona with the Church Education System, working and teaching at the Institute of Religion.
We served a second mission in Virginia with the Washington D.C. South mission.
What's happen in the last fifty years? I could write a book and maybe I will do that.
I wanted to get taller but I only got a little wider, but I got a lot better looking!!

Gary L. Winters

Deceased September 10, 1997

Gary L. Winters, 62, of Boise, died Wednesday, September 10, 1997, at home following a courageous battle with cancer.

Gary was born April 21, 1935, in Chester, Idaho, to Allen and Mary Winters. His early years were spent in Rexburg, Idaho. There he met and married his wife, Irene Weimer .They moved to Boise in 1971, where they have since resided.

Gary loved to fish and spent many weekends up at Lucky Peak and surrounding fishing spots. He had just begun teaching his grandson, Chase, the techniques and secrets of a true fisherman. He loved spending his spare time with his grandchildren and family.

Visitation will be held Sunday, September 14, 1997, from 6:00 until 8:00 p. m. at the Relyea Funeral Chapel, 318 N. Latah St., Boise. A private family graveside service will be held Monday, September 15, 1997. Arrangements are under the direction of the Relyea Funeral chapel.

Ruth Winter Edstrom
Deceased July 15, 1999

Services for Ruth W. Edstrom, 64, of Rexburg, who died July 15, 1999, at her home, will be conducted Monday, July 19, at 1 p.m. at the Burton LDS 2nd Ward Church by Bishop Keller Ellsworth.

The funeral home did not list a cause of death.

Friends may call Sunday fro 6-8 p.m. at Flamm Funeral Home in Rexburg and Monday from noon-12 p.m. at the church.

Burial will be at the Burton Cemetery.

She was born Sept. 2, 1934, in Sugar City to George W. Winter and Tacy Luella Winmill Winter. She was the youngest of six brothers and sisters. She grew up in the Rexburg area, attending schools and graduating from Madison High School in 1953 in Rexburg.

She married Vernon H. Edstrom Oct. 15, 1953 in the Idaho Falls LDS Temple.

Music has been a big part of her life. She started teaching piano at the age of 13 and continued to teach until three months before she died. She was part of the Upper valley Music Teachers Association for many ears and was one of the originators of the organization in Rexburg. She was an officer of the Civic Club and a member of many singing groups.

She was an active member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and served in many callings, including Relief Society President and Young Womens President. Her grand-children were the center of her life and she will be missed by them.

Survivors include her husband of Rexburg: children, Stephen (Anita) Edstrom of Grand Terrace. Calif., Dan (Sharon) Edstrom of Apple Valley, Calif., Eric Edstom of Rexburg and Jeffery (Rebecca) Edstrom of Holmen, Wis., brother and sister, Vern (Lois) Winter of Rexburg and Betty (William) Brown of Mesa Ariz., a sister-in-law, Dorthy Winter; and 10 grandchildren.

She was prededed in death by her parents, two brothers and a sister.